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LICKED UP BY FIRE.

The Business Portion of a Missouri Town Destroyed--Five Horses Cremated at St. Louis.

MILLARD, Mo., Dec. 20.—The business portion of this village, consisting of three stores, post office, town hall, drug store and three dwellings, was destroyed by fire last night. The loss will reach $20,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 20.—Late last night fire destroyed the stable of Edward Stuckman, at 431 St. Louis avenue. Five horses were cremated. A man named McDermott, who was supposed to be in the stable at the time, is missing, and probably burned to death.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—The round house and three locomotives belonging to the North Shore division of the Long Island railroad, at Whitestone, were entirely destroyed by fire this morning. The loss to the company is about $25,000.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Dec. 20.—A serious conflagration occurred at 3 o'clock yesterday morning in Booneville, Warwick county, involving a loss of $50,000. The following were burned out: Fay & Sons, produce merchants; Frank DeForrest, notions; Justice Youngblood, law office; James' feed store and Harrison & Houston, saloonkeepers. The fire is supposed to have been of incendiary origin.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 20.—Fire started in the annex of the union depot last night and consumed the store room of the Pullman Palace Car company and the union depot offices of the Missouri Pacific. The damage to valuable papers is considerable. The pecuniary loss is about $5,000, insured.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—A fire this morning on the sixth floor of No. 156 Williams street, caused the following loss: A. K. Langbein, book binder, $2,000; Peter DeBaun, printer, $500; Hard and Parsons, stationer, $5,000; Bernard Scannell & Co., plumbers' supplies, $2,000. The building was damaged $1,000.

THE REDS ARE QUIET.

Nothing of a Startling Nature Concerning the Indian Troubles.

RAPID CITY, S. D., Dec. 20.—Gen. Miles has received advices from Gen. Brooke that 500 friendly Indians left Pine Ridge yesterday to attempt to bring in the hostiles. Despatches from Lieutenant Colonel Drum at Fort Yates, announces that the Indians there are quiet. Thirty-nine of Sitting Bull's Indians, who left the agency on Monday, have sent in word that they will return. This leaves not over seventy on the reservation.

General Miles says that no advance would be made until the result of the Pine Ridge embassy is known. Big Foot and Hump have surrendered and returned to the agency. No Indians except the band mentioned are now going to the hostiles, and the cordon is constantly lightening.

ARKANSAS CITY, Kan., Dec. 20.—Mr. Snyder, who is among the Kickapoo Indians in Indian territory, says that 1,000 Kickapoo warriors have had a dance near the eastern line of Oklahoma and that for three days and nights they have had their ponies ready for action. They are well armed and the settlers are frightened.

DARING BURGLARY.

Bold Thieves Steal $3,000 Worth of Silks From a Chicago Store.

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—A novel and daring burglary, which netted the perpetrators over $3,000 in silks and fine imported linens, was committed last night in the building at 276 Fifth avenue, in the heart of the city. The burglars, instead of resorting to the usual method of forcing a door or a transom, cut a hole in the foundation wall large enough to admit the passage of a man, and through this, made their way into the store of McNellis & Campbell. Only the finest silks and linens were carried away and what they left of these, they probably could not handle for lack of room in the express wagon they used to make the daring job a success. There is a passage between the looted store and the adjoining store, which is closed by a fence. The fence prevented anybody passing the spot from seeing the burglars during the five or six hours it took them to cut through three feet of solid masonry. The police are hunting high and low for them, and for the stolen goods, but have not obtained a single clew to either.

KILLED IN A WRECK.

The Fireman and Brakeman Meet Death at Their Post.

ROANOKE, Va., Dec. 20.—A freight train was wrecked on the Shennandoah Valley, two miles east of Buchanan, yesterday. C. H. Atwood, fireman, and Edward Houston, a brakemen, were killed. The wreck was caused by the train striking an immense boulder which had rolled upon the track.

ALTOONA, Pa., Dec. 20.—By a cave-in at the old Portage tunnel, last night, a number of Italian laborers were burried, a negro had his leg taken off and a number of others were severely injured.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 20.—The report that James H. Stevenson, of the Bound Brook railroad, who was struck by a train Thursday night, was dead, is erroneous. Mr. Stevenson is at the hospital, where strong hopes are entertained for his ultimate recovery.

LOOKS BAD.

The Birmingham Strike May Result in Bloodshed.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 20.—At Coalburg mines yesterday, 100 of the striking miners signed an agreement to withdraw from the union, and return to work. That night a party of them was fired upon, and yesterday morning the vicinity of the mines was placarded with notices threatening death to all men who returned to work. Officers are guarding the men at work.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Superintendent Walmsley, of the Clark thread mills, who, the strikers claim, has treated them tyranically, was hanged in effigy yesterday in Newark by the strikers.

THE DAY OF REST.

'Come and Worship With Us" is the Invitation of Our City Pastors.

Services as usual at the Second Baptist church, on Harrison street, W. C. T. U. building.

Rev. J. A. Anderson, of Huntingtop, will preach at the Church of God morning and evening.

On account of the funeral of Rev. S. D. Miller, the Sunday school of Trinity M. E. church will be postponed till 3 p. m.

Regular services at the Second Presbyterian church to-morrow at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12 m.

Services at the Wayne Street M. E. church at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Preaching by the pastor morning and evening. Sunday school 2:15 p. m.

Services at the Grace Reformed church to-morrow at 10:30 and 7:30. In the evening the pastor begins a series of sermons on "Future Punishment."

The usual services will be held at Trinity M. E. church, Sunday morning and evening by the pastor. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. N. D. Shackelford, pastor.

Trinity Episcopal church, Rev. A. W. Seabrease, Rector. Morning service at 10:45; evening service at 7:30; Sunday school at 2:30 a. m. Men's Bible class at 9:45 a. m.

Remember the special sermon of Pastor Northrop to the hundreds of couples he has married the past eight or nine years. Time, 10:30 a. m. to-morrow. Come, sure!

St. Paul M. E. church: Preaching by the pastor, Rev. M. C. Cooper at 10:30 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 12 o'clock and young people's meeting at 6:30 p. m.

John Merritte Driver.—10:45 a. m., "Things to be Pondered Over at Christmas Tide," 7:30 p. m., "The Congregation of the Future." Sunday school at 9.30 a. m., and Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.

At the First Presbyterian church Rev. S. D. Hillman, of Taylor university, will preach to-morrow morning at 10:45. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Christian endeavor at 6:30 p. m. No evening services.

Berry Street M. E. church.—Preaching at 10:30 a. m. by the pastor. At 7 p. m. Rev. H. B. Fry, of Taylor university, will preach. Sunday school at 2:15 p. m. Young people's meeting 6:30 p. m.

At 3:30 o'clock, standard time, at the Railroad Y. M. C. A. rooms, the men's meting will be held as usual. Good music has been arranged for, and you are invited to come and help to "Make the Welkin ring."

Pastor Sims invites all the members to be present at morning services to-morrow. Evening theme, the eighth sermon in the series on Revelations. Subject, "The Angels in the River Uphraties." No one can afford to miss the evening service.

In the Third Presbyterian church, Rev. J. M. Boggs will preach at 10:30 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Themes: "The Insufficiency of the O. T. sacrifices." and "Preparation for Christ No. 3—The Jews." Sabbath school at 2 p. m. C. E. prayer meeting at 7 p. M.

All members and friends of Plymouth Congregational church are requested to bring their children with them to the morning service, as the pastor will preach upon "God's Christmas Gift." Young men's meeting at 10:15, half an hour before the regular service. Sunday school at 12 m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:45, and theme of evening sermon: "How Shall I Know Whether I am a Christian."

Chicago Markets.

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Wheat: Dec., 91¼; Jan., 92; May, $1. Corn: Jan. 51⅛; May, 53½. Oats: May, 45. Pork: Jan., $9.95; May, $10.97½. Lard: Jan., $5.75; May, $6.35. Ribs: Jan., $4.90; May, $5.57½.

Ira McGee, a printer, who worked in this city for several years arrived to-day from Chicago, where he is established in the real estate business, with a Mr. Johnstone, their headquarters being in the Inter Ocean building. Mr. McGee appears to be enjoying prosperity.

Yesterday was the seventy-third birthday of J. Foellinger, sr. He is one of the pioneers of Fort Wayne.

THE JENNEY CHAINED.

A Levy on Account of Delinquent Taxes Stops Operations of the Indianapolis Company.

The Indianapolis Journal of this morning has the following: "The Jenney Electric Light company, of West Indianapolis, was compelled to shut down yesterday on account of a levy that was made upon the plant for $531 delinquent taxes. Frank Miller, of the county treasurer's office, notified the company at Fort Wayne of the bill against the delinquent, but was referred to parties of this city. Numerous letters from the county treasurer's office were sent to these persons, but no attention was paid to them, and yesterday Mr. Miller sent deputies Tolan and Myres to the company's office in West Indianapolis. They levied on one of the dynamos, and, in order to secure payment, chained it to the floor and brought away the leather belt. "We have reached that point where we are tired of trifling," said Mr. Miller yesterday. "If the persons responsible or any of the company unlocks that chain before the taxes are paid we will prosecute them immediately."

"A few weeks ago the plant was purchased from the Jenny company, at Fort Wayne, by Marmon and Perry. There is no disposition to evade paying the taxes, but it has been the wish to get a reduction. Mr. Perry stated last night that while his company now owns the plant the taxes are to be paid by the former owners. He has been waiting authority from them to pay the amount, and they have been trying for a reduction on the taxes due. It is probable the matter will be settled to-day or to-morrow, but in the meantime West Indianapolis will be as the town was last night, without electric light."

THE BALMORAL CHOIR.

An Excellent Entertainment Given By Them Last Night.

The concert given last night at the Masonic Temple by the Balmoral choir pleased the large audience present and was one of the best entertainments of that character ever given in this city. The program was made up of Scottish songs, with instrumental music on the violin and piano, and all the selections rendered struck a popular chord in the hearts of the hearers that caused them to be warmly applauded. The entertainment was given under the auspices of the Caledonian club, and the choir was brought here by Hon. J. B. White, who guaranteed that the society should not be the losers. The concert was a success and Captain White and the Caledonians deserve praise for having given our citizens such a pleasant entertainment.

THE BASS WORKS

Are Part Owners of the Indianapolis Car Works.

That the Indianapolis car works were sold to Emil Pollock for the ridiculous sum of $52,500 Thursday afternoon at Indianapolis astonished a great many people, and yesterday afternoon the bid on it was voluntarily raised to $70,000, and the sale was confirmed by the court.

The new owners are the Black & Pollock iron works of Cincinnati, the Bass foundry and machine works of Fort Wayne, the Central iron and steel company of Brazil, the Rogers, Brown & Co. iron works of Cincinnati, and the Roan iron works of Chattanooga. The new owners represent several million dollars' capital and, according to Mr. Pollock, intend to invest more money in the plant and get the works in running order as soon as possible.

THE EMMETTS.

This Dramatic Club to Give a New Play--A Business Meeting.

At a regular meeting of the "Emmett club" last night, the club decided to place electric lights in the exhibition hall of Library hall, and voted to eave it as fine as the company can make it. Adding to this the club have finally arranged their new gymnasium and the committee is at work arranging a set of rules governing it. Finally all things were put in order for the second appearance of "The Pluribus" on the evening of December 30, for the benefit of the poor. The society will also give another play on the evening of Shrove Tuesday, in February. The title of this piece is "Desnoca Yleslaf," and the production promises some laughable developements.

Clubs Consolidate.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—The two New York ball clubs were consolidated yesterday. The final papers were signed by John B. Day and J. W. Spaulding at the latter's office last night. The players' league men signed Thursday. This settles the base ball war in New York.

Indicted for Murder.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 20.—The grand jury has reported an indictment charging Sarah Ann McMullen with murder in the first degree for causing the death of Nellie Conners by throwing her from a bridge at Akron.

Vicar General Dead.

TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 20.—Very Rev. Vicar General Laurent, a prominent Roman Catholic ecclesiastic, died suddenly last night from heart failure.

Charles Knight is at Chicago.

FROM A HOUSE TOP.

Joshua Woods Goes Tumbling Down and Narrowly Escapes With His Life.

About 10 o'clock this morning Joshua Woods, a workman in the employ of Wilding & Son, while at work on the roof of Sim Mahurin's new residence on South Fairfield avenue, lost his footing on the scaffold and fell to the ground, a distance of nearly twenty-five feet. He was picked up in an insensible condition and conveyed to his home, No. 27 Lillie street, where Dr. Schilling attended him. The man suffered internal injuries, which may prove fatal. His condition will be a matter of doubt until about twenty-four hours have elapsed. Strange to say there were no bones fractured. Mr. Woods has a wife but no children.

VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

An Insurance Company Quits Business--A $7,000 Mortgage.

The directors of the Central Mutual Fire Insurance company, of this city, have decided to discontinue business and will go into voluntary liquidation. The assets of the company are sufficient to pay all losses. The depression in business is greatly increasing the moral hazard of insurance and fires are becoming so alarmingly frequent that the officers of the Central have decided to quit before their assets become impaired. Mr. W. J. Vesey will act as receiver.

COURT GULLINGS.

Albert Baker, through his attorney, Homer C. Hartman, enters suit in the circuit court against George and Rosey Meyers and Jacob Alter, to foreclose a mortgage; demand $7,000.

Max Kowianski vs. George D. Ohneck. Jury verdict in favor of the defendent.

Charles Blaine sues John Amstutz for $100 on account. C. W. Edsall is attorney.

Mary D. Sullivan sues Cassius Duley et al., for $200 on a note and chattel mortgage. W. P. Breen is attorney for the plaintiff.

Ernest H. Hilgeman sues Adam Popp et al., on a foreclosure and mechanics lien. F. W. Kuhne is counsel for the plaintiff.

A. C. Beaver et al., sues Francis Wilkinson et al., for $400 on account and mechanics' lien. Swayne & Doughman are attorneys.

The case of George Wilhelm against Aceneth & Diman Carpenter, for street assessment, was dismissed in the superior court to day and the costs paid.

Robert B. Shirley has filed his bond as administrasor of the estate of Mary Boswell, deceased.

J. J. Rehling has qualified as justice of the peace at Sheldon.

The American Strawboard company, through their attorneys, Norris & Barrett, enter suit in the superior court against Samuel S. and Max B. Fisher for $250 on account.

The last will of Daniel Henry, of Sheldon, this county, was entered to probate to-day. The farming lands and other property is bequeathed to his sons, William H., John A., Samuel B. and Aaron. The sum of $200 is given to each of the sons, John and Samuel.

Josephine Merz was fined $5 and costs by Justice France to-day, for living in a house of ill fame at 74 Walton avenue. Fred Dayton was fined for frequenting the same place.

STORMONT'S APPEAL.

A Strong Effort to Increase the Membership of the Grand Army.

General R. Stormont, department commander of the G. A. R., has issued a circular urging that every man who wore the blue and stood up in the defense of the old flag, should so live as to be thought worthy of the respect and honor of his surviving comrades, and that every such man should be in the ranks of the Grand Army of the Republic. He says it is a duty that every soldier owes to himself, to humanity and his country. In the course of his argument he says: "The Grand Army extends to all soldiers who are yet outside of the organization a most cordial and earnest invitation to "fall in." The day is far spent and we are nearing our final camping ground. Let us close up our ranks and keep the touch of elbows as we march down the hill together." The various posts in this city have received circulars and they will at once begin to bring outsiders into the fold.

Stanley Attached.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 20.—Mr. Stanley had his box receipts attached, and the party must be supplied with money before it can proceed.

Miss Mary Cass, who has been acting in the capacity of domestic in the household of G. J. Henkenius, at 76 St. Mary's avenue, died at the latter's residence, this morning of typhoid fever. Age 16 years. The deceased was the grand-daughter of Indian Chief Godfrey.

Willard Lucas, a teacher in the Allen county schools at New Haven, is under arrest on the charge of cruelly beating a boy pupil. He claims the lad was incorrigible and needed a licking. Newton D. Doughman will be the legal counsel for Mr. Lucas.

LOCAL ITEMS.

E. R. Sweet has entered into the employ of Louis Diether & Co.

James Healy, a plumber of Indianapolis, is the guest of James Madden.

The condition of Officer John Kennelly and Kuhns is unchanged to-day.

The leading characters in the "Clemenceau Case" are registered at the Wayne.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Judy, of Brackenridge street, is quite ill.

S. Bauard, of 88 West Superior street, has been laid up for the past week with a bad cut.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Dreibelbiss will take up their residence at 169 West DeWald street.

Miss Louise Raquet was presented with a piano from her mother for a birthday present.

Mrs. Sadie S. Rhodes left to-day for Chicago, to spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Gus Schwartz has returned to her home at Andrews, Ind., after a visit with friends in the city.

Mrs. Isadore Kickley, of West DeWald street, is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Cochrane, of Springfield, O.

The funeral of Miss Delia McMaken will take place from Berry street Methodist church at 1 o'clock to-morrow.

Miss Cora Lipsett, of Lima, O., who has been visiting Mrs. J. P. Jackson, of 16 DeWald street, has returned home.

John Ahlers has been accepted at the insane hospital at Richmond and Sheriff Viberg will take him there next Monday.

Mrs. Wilbur M. Ruth and daughter, of Milwaukee, Wis., have come to enjoy the holidays with parents and friends at 64 East Jefferson street.

Chas. Olds, Russell Viberg and Williard and Cheney Knight, students at Purdue university, are in the city for their holiday vacation.

Master George, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Dick, of 89 Butler street, is quite sick and the prospects for a happy Christmas are rather gloomy.

Mrs. Gorman, who underwent a difficult surgical operation, was able to leave the St. Joe hospital to-day. She left for her home near Leo, this county.

The funeral service of Rev. S. D. Miller, will take place at Wayne street M. E. church at 1:30 p. m. to-morrow, Revs. Shackelford and Eldridge officiating.

George LaDuke was arrested by Officer Stoll to-day. He had in his possession a lot of gents' furnishing goods, ladies wear, etc. He is held on suspicion.

The Misses Agnes Seabrease and Connie Wilder, who have been attending school at Kamper Hall, Ill., are spending their holiday vacation at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fish, of Elkhart, Ind., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fischer, of West Creighton avenue. They came to attend the funeral of Mrs. Fish's sister-in-law, Mrs. W. T. Abbott.

Edward Holmke, son of the Calhoun street shoe dealer, has been promoted to the position of foreman in the department for setting up furniture at the Pape Furniture store on East Berry street.

Joseph Morgan, of the Fort Wayne road, received a telegram this morning announcing the sudden illness of his wife at Plymouth. He left on the first train for her bedside, accompanied by his mother.

Charles Tilford, who has during the past few years driven spirited horses for Mason Long's "Pilgrims," and also the Wizard Oil party, is at home here again and temporarily doing duty as driver for the American express company.

On New Years' eve, Friendship lodge, No. 70, of the National association of machinists, will give a ball at Standard hall. The committee on arrangements consists of the following gentlemen: W. Clark, W. Shultz and A. Kinnaird.

Will E. Beeson, of Winchester, quartermaster of the Indiana division, Sons of Veterans, who was in the city to attend the ball given by that organization, returned home this morning. While here he was the guest of E. H. Bookwalter.

George Thain, formerly a barber on Calhoun street, where now Gloeckle and Browand now conduct the same business, has arrived from Cincinnati, where he is educating himself to become a physician. He will remain during the holidays.

J. V. Reul, manager of the Indiana Installment company, has placed a number of new canvassers in the field. They are Messrs. Cox, Staunton, Hermsdoerfer, Heinman, McKinley and Herring. This company now occupies handsome and convenient quarters on Calhoun street.

Julius Stuermer has returned from Purdue university to visit at his home, 108 Maumee avenue, during the holidays. Mr. Stuermer was for a year or more a clerk in Klinkenberg & Detzer's drug store. He is taking a two years course in pharmacy at Purdue, and this is his first year.

WILL RE-ESTABLISH

The Old Fort Pulley Works on a Larger Scale---Secretary Dreibelbiss Returns.

It was learned on reliable authority to-day that the contract will soon be let for brick buildings to be used as a manufactory by the Old Fort Pulley works, which will be re-established on a larger scale. It has already been made public that the litigation has been dismissed by Francis A. Lomont, president of the company, and patentee of the wooden pulley manufactured, selling his half interest to James W. Wilding, through Robert L. Romy. The affairs of this company have been effectually "lifted" from a state of chaos, and are now on a sound financial footing. John Dreibelbiss, the secretary and treasurer of the company, and practically its founder, has just returned from Evansville, where he was under the care of an eminent physician for shattered health, suffered by him on account of his ceaseless efforts to keep the business afloat under great obstacles. He is still in a weak and almost helpless condition at his home on Holman street, but it is hoped he will soon be able to resume his official duties under a lightened burden. It is semi-officially announced that James W. Wilding will be appointed general manager of the plant, which is substantiated by feeling the sentiment of the different stockholders. The wooden pulley business will be prominent among the industries of Fort Wayne.

LOOKS DUBIOUS.

The City Will Probably Have to Pay for the Use of Certain Patents.

The fire commissioners, consisting of Councilmen Ely, Cran, Scheid and the mayor, held a meeting at the council chamber last night for the purpose of discussing certain demands made by I. N. Walker, of Indianapolis. The demand is made that the city pay to Mr. Walker, or his syndicate, the sum of $3,500 for the use of certain apparatus in the fire engine houses, this apparatus having been found to be infringements upon patents held by Walker which date back to 1873-5 6. Mr. Walker is represented by Hon. J. H. Rice, ex-auditor of state, who met with the commissioners last night. He showed testimony of the case in litigation against Terre Haute, which city had to pay high for using the same patent. Indianapolis, also using the patent, rather than go to law, compromised. Mr. Rice stated last night that if the city of Fort Wayne will not meet the demands, a case in court for a much higher sum will be instituted. It is learned on good authority that the city will compromise the matter, but whether for the amount asked for, or less, cannot be ascertained. A report will be made at the next meeting of the council.

TURNERS TO THE FRONT.

A Popular Society of Athletes Improve their Club Rooms.

The Fort Wayne Turnverein have made a nice addition to their club rooms and gymnasium in Arion hall, and are about to enter upon the winter campaign with a more flattering prospect than ever before. The society numbers seventy members and the regular turner evenings are Monday and Thursday. Henry Niemeyer is the master turner and directs all of the drills. The public will be treated to an entertainment by the society early in February.

Death Caused by a Fall.

Drs. McCaskey, McCullough and Rauch to day held a post mortem examination over the late Rev. S. D. Miller, and found a blood clot in the brain, indicating that death was caused by the recent fall sustained by the deceased.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—For Indiana: Rain, southerly winds; warmer.

Yesterday afternoon, the "Literary Record" a weekly paper, published by the members of the commercial class of the Brothers' school, and edited this year by Mrs. George Litot and Frank Mohr, started upon its sixth year. In its editorial columns we noticed the announcement that hereafter it will be published weekly, instead of monthly as formerly. This gives indication of earnestness and zeal in the work of the young editors and shows a determination to make it more popular than ever this year.

Lottie, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. LeMay, was run over by a wagon yesterday about noon while going home from school, and she suffered a sprained ankle which rendered her helpless. The girl was conveyed to her home, corner of Washington and Clinton street where she is under the doctor's care. Miss Lottie is among the list of unfortunates who will not skip around a Christmas tree.

The condition of the venerable Samuel Hinton, who was recently injured by being run over, is much worse, and his death is momentarily expected. He is under the care of William Boswell, a young man who was at one time in the drug business, but who is studying to become a nurse. Mr. Hinton is the father of John Hinton, the restaurateur, and he is now at his home on Baker street.

ADVICE TO SANTA CLAUS.

NDER the brow of the mountain
Nestles a quaint little town,
Into whose old-fashioned chimneys,
Mossy, and broken, and brown,
Santa Claus, dear old marauder,
Christmas Eve always comes down.

Fleet are his mythical reindeer,
Swift, as though gifted with wings,
Bearing their bountiful burden
Of the most beautiful things,
Gathered from earth and from ocean,
That the dear saint always brings.

Yet, though he loves all the children,
Some of them must be his pets;
There are those, orphaned and lonely,
He almost always forgets,
Whose little stockings are empty,
Whose hearts are filled with regrets.

Santa Claus, I always fancied
You were excessively nice;
That your ideas were quite perfect,
And your kind heart beyond price;
If so, 'twill surely not pain you
To take a woman's advice.

Seek first the poor little wee ones,
Loveless, and lone, and distressed;
Fill up their stockings with treasures,
Gather their thanks to your breast,
Then we will crown you King Christmas,
Of all kings dearest and best.

JONAS' XMAS PRESENT.

BY ISABEL HOLMES MASON.

THE lights of the little church on the hillside shining invitingly in the gloom, made the semi-circular grove behind it look dark shadowy on that Christmas Eve. The pines whispered, and the spruce and fir trees nodded confidentially toward the lighted windows, for a chosen member of their family stood inside the church, the "observed of all observers," ready to shower its Christmas fruitage presently upon the expectant hearts and hands of the gathering.

All Millville was out, even to blind Joe, who could feel the Christmas gladness even if he could not see it, and who was sure also of a goodly number of presents. There were the youth and "small fry" of both sexes, the blacksmith, miller, grocer and doctor, and, not least, the minister and his bride of three months, a pretty little brown-eyed creature sitting in a front pew beside her husband, her radiant countenance crossed now and then by a shade of anxiety as she glanced down the aisle at the stern face of Jonas Hideaway. There he sat in the midst of the buzz and hum of half a dozen beehives, silent and unsmiling, with his fur coat folded across his knees, caring for nobody, and nobody caring for him seemingly.

"He's like a death's head at a feast," the doctor remarked to his wife.

"Yes. I wonder what brought him out?

"He wants to save himself from petrifaction, I suppose," returned the Doctor dryly.

"It's a shame he is so hard toward Prissy," said the lady warmly. "He might afford to forgive her before doomsday, I think. Of course she was foolish to go off and marry the son of her father's worst enemy, but the poor thing was starving for affection, I suppose. She's in actual want now since her husband has been sick, and there's her father alone in that big comfortable house, and with money in the bank. But she'd starve before she'd ask him for anything.

"Ain't Jonas Hideaway cross?" queried Nat, the miller's boy, of Tom Wilcox. "Jyp is scared to death when she meets him. You ought to have heard her whine when she went with me up there on an errand."

"He don't do nothin' but read books," returned Tim. "He's got a room full of them. Books must be poor company all the time."

"He needs to be shook up a spell in a grist mill."

"Mill? He don't care for grists. He feeds on books."

"Yes: he's a bookworm. The minister said so," assented Nat, solemnly.

"The minister's wife is lookin' at him.

"THERE HE SAT, SILENT AND UNSMILING."

Hain't she a daisy? I'm goin' to her class in Sunday school," said Tim.

"Mother says she won't teach no class. She's too much of a baby."

"Baby? I guess she ain't no baby!"

Other comments were being made upon the lady in question.

"There's no denying she has a pretty face," Mrs. Tallboy, the blacksmith's sister, assented, "but she'll never make a minister's helpmate. He might as well have married Josie's doll there."

"I'm not so sure of that," returned the blacksmith. "See her face. She'll smile folks straight to heaven while the parson is hammering away on the gospel anvil in his own way."

"Her voice is sweet as a bobolink's," blind Joe whispered on the other side of Mrs. Tallboy.

"Yes, she's trained her'lf to speak soft," assented the lady, who was of the masculine order of women. "Men always see such women cross-eyed. Seth, here, was always an idiot about a pretty face."

A long wicker basket which hung low on the tall Christmas tree was the subject of much comment and conjecture. Very few were aware of the treasure with which it was freighted, or that it was watched so faithfully through the half open door near the desk by a pair of soft, dark, anxious eyes.

A jolly faced Santa Claus commenced to unload the tree. The din waxed louder as name after name was called. Blind Joe was heaped with presents. The minister's wife had a lap full, but a good share of her attention was bestowed upon that wicker basket, she being opposite to it.

"Mr. Jonas Hideaway!"

Everybody stared and wondered as Santa Claus drew the mysterious basket from the bough ginerly.

"Why, it's for Jonas!" was breathed in concert all over the church

"It looks heavy. I'll bet it's full of

"I OWE THIS ALL TO YOU."

bricks." Nat hazarded.

"Bricks is all he deserves," assented Tim, oracularly.

"Mr. Jonas Hideaway!" Santa Claus called again with special emphasis.

The owner of the name did not budge, whereupon Santa Claus marched down the aisle with the basket and set it upon the coat folded across Jonas' knees. With something between a growl and an exclamation he lifted the wicker cover.

Was it the face of a lovely doll half hidden in lace and lawn and pink ribbons that he looked down upon? The light was not the brightest in that corner, and there was a strange film over his eyes, but surely it seemed to breathe, and its weight upon his knees was like flesh and blood! Jonas sat helpless under the burden, dimly conscious that the hubbub around him was stilled suddenly.

In the midst of his bewilderment, a pair of large dark eyes opened slowly. Jonas felt an unusual stir in the region of his heart. The eyes were regarding him steadily with a curious little pucker of the brows. After a few moment's inspection, two little hands were reached up to him, and three fingers closed tightly around the thumb of the hand that steadied the basket.

"If she don't look sweet enough to eat!" said Susie Baker, leaning over his left arm.

"She's the dead image of Prissy when she was a baby," declared motherly Mrs. Nesbit above his shoulder.

"She's got your nose, Squire, sure as

"TWO LITTLE HANDS WERE REACHED UP TO HIM."

the world!" supplemented Mr. Hobbs, the grocer.

Jones' face took on a multitude of uncertain expressions that might mean the verge of either tears or laughter. His stolidity was all broken up. The baby was a center of attraction. She smiled and crowed and bubbled over with good-nature. There was so much Christmas gladness in the atmosphere, bless you, that no one, large or small, could escape its influence.

The baby face brought a rush of memories from the past to Jonas, of the child he had held in his arms long ago, when the tenderness of fatherhood had first dawned upon his heart, and of the sweet young wife and mother whom, a month later, he had laid away forever. He recalled his bitterness and rebellion against his lot, his hardness toward the child for whose sake he had been bereaved, and the increasing coldness of the years, with no wifely touch to soften the strong, stern, uncompromising qualities which predominated in his nature.

The fountains of the great deep were broken up now. Tears forced themselves slowly from his eyes and fell upon the baby's cheek. Its smile died, and it looked up into his face with the mysterious, searching eyes of babyhood. He lifted it from its warm nest and held its soft cheek against his.

"He has a heart, after all," said the Doctor's wife, with a movement of her handkerchief across her eyes.

"Heart!" echoed the Doctor. "He buried it with his young wife long ago, but it looks now like a resurrection."

Jonas looked up, to meet the moist shining eyes of the minister's wife. Some instinct taught him her share in this matter.

"Where is the child's mother?" he asked, brokenly.

The little lady turned and drew Prissy, pale and trembling, from her covert behind the brawny, big-hearted blacksmith, where she had stood watching her darling crowd its way into her father's heart and arms.

"Prissy, my child!"

"Oh, father! father!"

"Don't you want to take charge of my Christmas present?" he asked, with a mighty effort at self-control. "The whole house up there is at your disposal—and hers. I will send for—your husband."

The baby's face had a baptism of happy tears this time, as its mother carried it into the ante-room where she had watched the experiment. She was followed by the minister's wife and others.

"I owe this all to you," she said, gratefully, to the doll wife.

"I knew he was good as gold, away down," returned the little lady, softly.

How the glad Christmas bells rang in the air around Jonas' old homestead that night! How peacefully the angels of good-will brooded over the slumber of the inmates!

Christmas "Bran Pie."

Perhaps everybody has heard of "bran pie," but if there is somebody who hasn't, the description may not come amiss

A tub is to be used for the dish, the size to depend on the probable number of the gifts, and clean bran for the lining and the crust. In other words, the tub may be half filled with the bran, and then the presents neatly covered with brown paper, tied and labeled, placed in the bran, here, there, and everywhere, so as to require as much hunting for hidden treasure as possible, and finally a covering of bran put over the whole.

Those who are to be served with this very substantial sort of a Christmas pie surround it in a circle, each in turn drawing out a bundle from the all-enveloping bran. If the drawer of a prize finds his own name written on the bundle, he keeps it, but if it is the name of some other member of the party, he returns it to the pie, and waits until his turn to draw comes round again.

A good deal of amusement may be added if an appropriate motto or proverb be written on each bundle; for instance, with an embroidered needle-book, the words, "A stitch in time saves nine;" with a calendar, "Take time by the forelock," and so on.

Christmas Customs.

The small boys make it a point to attend Sunday school in force.

Nobody notices the old maid when she gets under the mistletoe.

The schoolteacher spares the rod from about Dec. 1 until the holidays are over.

Little Johnnie always makes a noise, even though it puts a hole in the head of his new drum.

Uncle 'Rastus feels in honor bound to pay a nocturnal visit to the hen-houses of all his neighbors.

The married man has not only to pay for the present he gives his better half, but for the one his wife gives him.

Santa Claus is almost as blind as his little friend Cupid. The old man seldom sees the chimneys of the poor.

A dog which was given a collar and chain, and tied up all day and night, failed to appreciate his Christmas present.

The mistletoe is always hung up on the chandelier because it is not necessary to have any one out on the stairs or in other dark places.

The tin soldiers the small boys get are more bloodthirsty than they look. When they fight they show no quarter, and it isn't long before the whole army is annihilated.—*Judge.*

"Peace on Earth, Good-Will Toward Men."

Mrs. Humble—Have you any idea what you will have for Christmas presents?

Mrs. Goahead—Well, yes: and I'll just make it hot for the giver too. My husband had a box sent to the house yesterday, and I opened it before he came home.

Mrs. Humble—What was in it, dear?

Mrs. Goahead—A pair of doeskin dress-trousers, a wooden crown and scepter, a receipt for one year's membership to the woman's suffrage union, and a card that said, "A Merry Christmas to my Darling Little Wifey."

Mrs. Humble—What are you going to do about it?

Mrs. Goahead—Do? I bought a seal-skin cloak, a set of diamonds and a grand piano this afternoon, and I'll put the bill in his stocking Christmas. He can't vent any sarcasm on me with impunity.

Santa Claus Scratches.

Santa Claus is the merchant with the largest stockin' trade.—*Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.*

Santa Claus cannot fill some stockings half as well as the wearers do.—*Christmas Puck.*

Santa Claus keeps the mail-carriers busy, and the express companies seem to have been made expressly for him.—*New Orleans Picayune.*

A great argument in favor of bachelorhood is that nowhere doth it appear that there ever existed a Mrs. Santa Claus.—*Yonkers Statesman.*

Santa Claus says that the modern chimneys are a nuisance, as they land him away down in the cellar in a red-hot furnace, and half the time the cellar door is locked.—*Dansville Express.*

"Sunder Claus" in the Rhine Countries.

The advent of the patron saint of children is variously observed throughout the world. In the Rhine countries, he is "Sunder Claus," and some one fittingly arrayed impersonates him for the amusement of the children. The night before he is supposed to descend the chimney with his generous store of gifts the little ones may be heard singing:

Dear Santa Claus, for the children's sakes,
Bring us nuts and sugar cakes;
Throw them into my apron here,
And help to swell the Christmas cheer.

He Will Hang Up Both Stockings.

"Mamma," asked Dick, plaintively, "am I all the children we've got?"

"Yes, dear," answered mamma, smiling at his curious plural and pronoun.

"Then," said Dick, with decision, "I shall hang up both stockings next year so they'll just touch the floor easy, and ask Santa Claus to please put a foot in each, with a little brother onto 'em. I'm tired of playing I'm a family all the time."—*Time.*

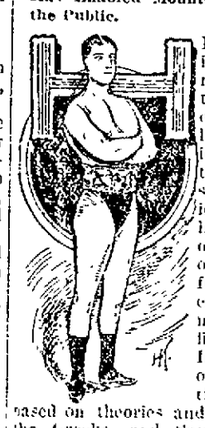
The Alsatian "Christ-Child."

In France, it is the Jesus bain-bin, Christ-child, who comes. Among the Alsatians a beautiful young girl personates this character, and with a bell in one hand and sweetmeats in the other, she goes about the village distributing the coveted gifts among the children.

OUR MODERN SAMSONS

PEOPLE WHO HAVE "TRAVELED ON THEIR MUSCLE."

Something About the Phenomenally Strong Men of the World—How Science Has Enabled Mountebanks to Delude the Public.



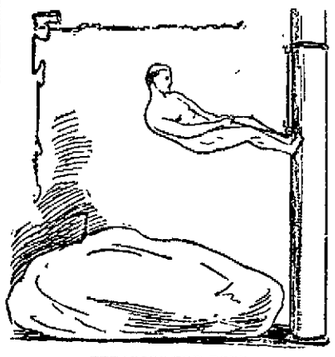
"HISTORY repeats itself, and there is nothing new under the sun," remarked a well-posted literary gentleman in the presence of the writer not long since. "The fashionables of London have just found out that the feats of strength performed by the modern Samson in that metropolis are the flimsiest of tricks It is like some of our recent inventions. They are based on theories and principles old as the Greeks, and Samson's wonderful performances are all predicated on the employment of the properties of the mechanical powers."

He might have gone further, and claimed that Samson was a mere imitator, for a research back a few centuries develops some very interesting facts regarding the so-called strong men of the world.

The original biblical Samson was the true man of muscle. Everybody is familiar with the carrying off of the gates of Gaza, the breaking of the lion's jaws, the destruction of the temple. From Samson's time down to the third century, many marvelous feats of strength might be recorded in the arena and on the battle-field, but Firmus, who lived in the reign of Aurelius, in the third century, is the first man who "traveled on his muscle" in a professional way. His great specialty was the sustaining of an anvil on his breast as he lay prostrate, upon which iron was forged. In performing this feat, Firmus rested his feet and shoulders against some support, so as to form an arch of his body.

The next emulator of Delilah's victim was Joyce, of Kent. In 1703, he electrified England with his prodigious strength, by drawing against horses and lifting enormous weights. He was known as the "second Samson," but his performances were erratic and crude, and it was his successor in this line who was the first to give system and science to his exhibitions of muscle.

John Charles Van Eckeberg was the name of this prodigy, and his feats have gone into history, as they excited the attention and interest of the savants of Europe at the time he lived. He was a native of Anhalt, and to all appearance possessed only average strength. He was of medium size, weighed about 200 pounds, and very soon convinced the royal societies of Europe that his marvelous performances were due only to skill. One of his principal feats was to lie on the ground while two men stood on his knees. He then drew his heels towards his body and raised his knees lifting his burden gradually. Having brought his knees perpendicularly under him, Eckeberg raised his own body up, and placing his arms around the men's legs, rose with them, and set them on a table. He would then stand on a platform which had a trap. Through this, attached to a cannon, on rollers, weighing a ton, four ropes ran to a chain which was fastened to a girdle about his waist. The rollers were knocked away, and Eckeberg sustained the cannon in



BREAKING THE ROPE.

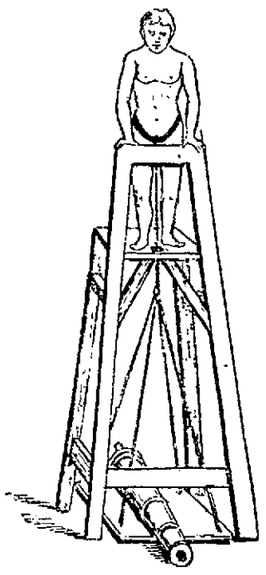
midair, with no apparent exertion.

His next feat was to place his shoulders on one chair and his heels on another, forming with his backbone, thighs, and legs the same arch that Firmus adopted, only Eckeberg would clutch the chair at his head with both hands. Two men would then stand on his stomach, and rise up and sink down as he breathed. Later a stone one and a half feet long, one foot broad, and half a foot in thickness was broken with a sledge-hammer, while he sustained the same position.

In further imitation of Firmus, the German Samson would lie down on the ground, and when an anvil was placed on his breast, a man hammered a piece of iron with all his force with a sledge, and two smiths with chisels cut a great cold bar of iron in two. A large stone was broken on the anvil in the same manner.

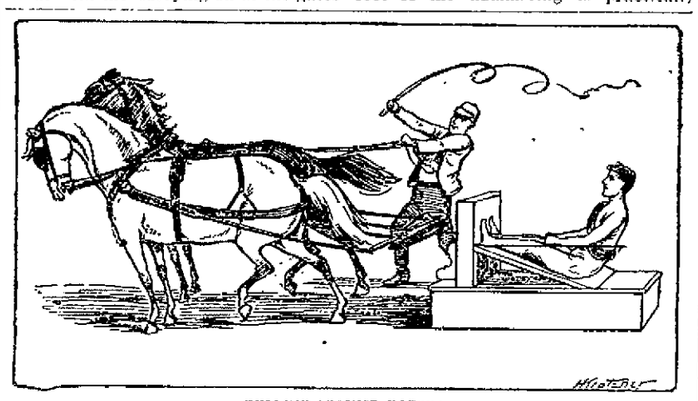
Eickeberg's main feat, however, was to pull against horses. During this performance he sat on an inclined board abutting an upright timber. Around his loins was placed a strong girdle, to the iron ring of which was fastened a rope by means of a hook. The rope passed between his legs and through a hole in the board against which he braced his feet. Several men or two horses attached to this rope failed to remove him from his position. He would then fit a rope to a strong upright post, by making it pass through two eyes attached to the post and sit ten feet from the ground. The rope ran through a ring at the girdle. Planting his feet against the post, Eckeberg raised himself from the ground four or five feet by seizing the rope. Then, suddenly spreading out his legs, he broke the rope in two. To indicate the strength of his fingers, he took a flat piece of iron and first bent it to a right angle. Then wrapping a handkerchief about its broad upper end, he held that end in his left hand, and, with the right applied to the other end, twisted it to an angular point, like a screw.

It did not take long for the scientists to discover the trick of Eckeberg's dexterity. They decided that his feats depended mainly on the natural strength of the bones of the pelvis, which forms a double arch. It requires an enormous strength to break these bones by any pressure directed to the center of the arch, and, as the legs and thighs are capable of sustaining a weight of near-



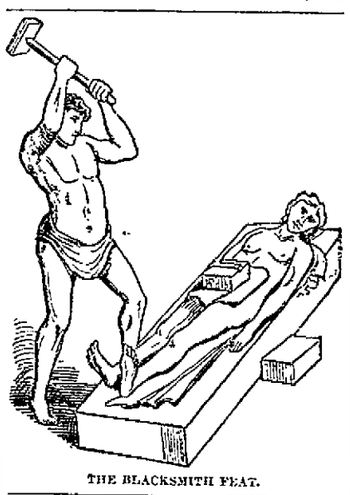
RAISING THE CANNON.

ly five thousand pounds, a performer has no difficulty in resisting the strength of two horses or a cannon's weight. The difficulty in the anvil feat is to sustain the anvil only, as the effect of the hammering is practically



PULLING AGAINST HORSES.

nothing. If the anvil were a thin piece of iron, or even two or three times heavier than the hammer, the performer would be killed by a few blows, but the blows are scarcely felt when the anvil is heavy, for the more matter the anvil has the greater is the inertia, and is the less liable to be struck out of place, for when it has received by the



THE BLACKSMITH FEAT.

blow the whole momentum of the hammer, its velocity will be so much less than that of the hammer as its gravity of matter is greater. When the blow is struck the weight of the anvil is felt less than before, because, in the reaction of the anvil, all the parts round about the hammer rise to the blow.

Thomas Topham, who lived about one hundred and fifty years ago, was perhaps the most remarkable of all modern Samsons. While his feats were of a simpler nature, they had the merit of being performed by a man entirely ignorant of methods for making his strength appear more surprising by natural powers than others by artificial means. Topham was five feet ten inches in height. So ignorant was Topham of the laws of mechanics that, when he attempted to pull against horses without a harness, he shattered one of his knees.

Some of his feats may be briefly stated. He would rub his fingers with coal ashes to keep them from slipping, and would roll up a very large pewter plate. He would take eight short and strong pieces of tobacco pipe, lay them over the first and third fingers, and break them with the force of the middle fingers. He would take a strong clay pipe-bowl, place it between the first and third fingers, and by pressing them together sideways would break it, or he would perform the same feat by placing the bowl under his garter, breaking it with the force of the tendons of the hams, without bending his legs. Topham could lift with his teeth a table six feet long on which was placed a fifty-pound weight, resting the feet of the table against his knees. With his right hand he would strike his bare left arm with a poker three feet long and three inches around, between the elbow and the wrist, until it bent at right angles, or he would hold the ends of a poker, with the center back of his neck, and bring the ends together, and pull it out straight again. This is quite a difficult feat, because the muscles which separate the arms horizontally from each other are not so strong as those which bring them together.

Topham could break a rope in two that was two inches in circumference, partly wound around a cylinder four inches in diameter. He fastened one end of the rope to a strap that went around

THE TWISTED NAILS.

one shoulder and broke the rope in two. He could also lift a stone weighing eight hundred pounds with his hands only, standing on a frame above it and taking hold of a frame on which the stone lay. On this feat scientists have based a relative view of the strength of individuals, as follows: The strength of weak men is 125 pounds, of very strong men 400 pounds, and of professional strong men double the last amount.

"Billy" Taylor, the well-known Chicago newspaper man, used to perform a trick with the "night gang," when news was slack, that was wont to mystify loungers about police headquarters. He would lie at full length on a newspaper spread on the floor and direct four others to place their forefingers one under his right shoulder, a second under the left shoulder, and the two others each their fingers under his ankles. They would then lift him, and with no effort they could raise him four feet from then ground.

This is a very old feat. It is chronicled by the scientists of the seventeenth century as remarkable and inexplicable as relating to the strength of the human frame. It was first performed by a heavyweight man lying on two chairs, his feet resting on one and his back on the other. Four persons found it extremely difficult to raise his dead weight until they and the man drew in a long and full breath. He would then rise like a feather.

Nearly all these feats are now reproduced in the museums of the country, but in scarcely as honest a manner as by the men who have been designated as the "Samsons of the World."

WELDON J. COBB.

COULD NOT AFFORD TO KNOW.

THE Circuit Court was in session in one of the back counties of Arkansas. An important case had come up for trial. The regular venire of jurymen had been exhausted and deputy sheriffs were sent to the country to summon additional jurymen. One of these deputies had been instructed to summon a certain man whose place of residence he did not know. Riding along a lonely road he came to a field, in the middle of which was a small cabin. A tow-headed, ragged boy about twelve years old was playing near the fence. In answer to his hail the boy approached slowly and irresolutely.

"Johnny," began the deputy, in an insinuating voice, "can you tell me who lives in that house?"

"Ye-eh."

"Who is it?"

"My maw."

"Yes, I know; but who lives with her?"

"Me."

"Doesn't any one else live there?"

"Ye-eh."

"Who is it?"

"My paw."

"What is your 'paw' and 'maw's' name?"

"They's name paw an' maw."

"Well, haven't they any other names?"

"Ye-eh."

"What are they?"

"My paw's name Unker John and my maw's name A'nt Jane."

The Deputy was nonplused for an instant, but made another trial.

"What is your name?" he asked.

"Jim."

"Haven't you another name, Jim?"

"I dunno."

"What! a boy as big as you doesn't know his name?"

"Looky yere, mister, yer wanter know er dang sight erbout this fambly. Yer kin go up thar ter ther cabin, an' talk ter my maw ef yer wanter. I uster ter know er powerful heap tell I tuk er peddler ter ther house 'at sol' maw er clock what won't run. Ther peddler hain't be'n back fur ter git ther wawter what's er bilin' fur 'im. I got sumpin', though, 'at'll keep me fum er knowin' ernough ter take anybody thar 'less'n maw knows 'e 's er comin'. I'll hol' yer hoss while yer go ter ther cabin. Yer better tell me whar yer want 'im tuck ef yer don't come back."

A red-headed woman came to the door and screamed:

"Jimmy, ef yer don't come yere this minute I won't leave er whole bone in yer ugly little hide."

The boy started for the cabin in a

"CAN YOU TELL ME WHO LIVES IN THAT HOUSE?"

trot, and the Deputy Sheriff rode rapidly away.

HUGH BLAKE WILLIAMS.

GEMS OF THOUGHT.

[From the Ram's Horn.]

When the heart is full the soul speaks.

No man can die wrong who lives right.

The man who fears God is afraid to sin.

A good man is one of God's thoughts in motion.

The Christian who doesn't do much doesn't love much.

We are never so strong as when we are thankful.

A merciless man can not worship a merciful God.

The man in the wrong is the one who won't forgive.

Not to be for God always is not to be for God at all.

When the heart speaks the whole man says "Amen."

God can use a weak man, but He won't use a lazy one.

If we didn't have any trials we couldn't have any faith.

Every sin that is not forsaken brings with it another.

God never intended that any man should be a loafer.

The man who overcomes himself disappoints the devil.

Belief is the rudder by which the ship of our life is directed.

Repentance never comes too late, if it comes from the heart.

A stingy man would have to stand on his head to see heaven.

When God is truly worshiped the soul is purified by the proces.

Men need moral courage more than they do higher foreheads.

No man who gives as much as he ought to do ever growls about it.

The sin you look at will soon make you pick it up and carry it.

When God speaks through a man all nations can understand him.

There is no worship in anything you do simply from a sense of duty.

Every time we try to deceive God our chances for being lost increase.

The worship that does not come from the heart never finds its way to heaven.

An Equivalent for Misery.

If we allow our bodily infirmities to make away with us through neglect, have we such an immense moral advantage over the deliberate suicide? Scarcely. For example, the deadly progress of Bright's disease, diabetes, acute nephitis and gravel is sure—often terribly swift in the catastrophe. Most people of average information know that this is the simple, unvarnished truth in regard to those widely prevalent maladies. To delay judicious medication is specially suicidal in such cases. The means of restraint is to be found in Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Give an impetus to the action of the kidneys with this safe and reliable diuretic, and the infant complaint is shorn at its birth of the power for evil. Allow it to grow, and anticipate the worst. The Bitters, which annihilates the growing troubles, also eradicates dyspepsia, rheumatism, malaria, and liver complaint. Appetite, sleep, and vigor are also promoted by it.

Storm Signals by Telephone.

It is proposed to increase the facilities for obtaining warning of coming storms by utilizing the telephone. Mr. Faye, the leading authority of the French Academy of Sciences, has asserted his belief in the feasibility of the plan, and he is of the opinion that the telephone is capable of transmitting storm sounds and of predicting a tempest at least twelve hours before it bursts. There seems to be no reason to believe that the telephone cannot be used for the purpose, as satisfactory work has been done on somewhat the same lines by the microphone, by which instrument, indeed, most reliable indications of subterranean disturbance are now obtained.

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Distinguished Individual — Possibly, sir, you do not remember me. Years ago I was your office boy. One day you sent me with $10 to buy stamps. I took that money, invested it, and realized a cool $100,000.

Great Merchant—Well, I'll forgive you. What do you want now?

Distinguished Individual—I would like to borrow another $10.

How a Girl Made Money.

MR. EDITOR:—I am tempted to give my experience for the benefit of others. I sent $5 to H. F. Delno & Co., Columbus, Ohio, and received a fine machine for plating with gold, silver and nickel. The plating is done so nice every person wants work done. I get all the knives, forks and jewelry I can plate. I made $4.40 the first day, $27.90 the first week, in one month I had $163 clear profit. My brother makes $10 to $20 per day selling platers. Any one can do as much by writing to the above firm for circulars.

Yours truly,
LUCY V. BABBIT.

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THE SLEEPY PIGEON.

BY J. F. HOWARD.

O, give me back the morn
Whose fields of yellow corn
Waved in the autumn wind
Long ago.

Let me when it shall break
From sleep of health awake,
And seek the woodland haunts
That I know.

Across the meadow mown
Up from a stump or stone
A sleepy pigeon flies,
Wet with dew.

Like him we leave the glade,
And in the leafy shade
Wait as the fairies wait,
Hid from view.

And see the rabbit when
He bobs from out the fen,
Alternate drooping ears,
Looking bland.

And hear in symphony
The divers notes agree,
As birds of dawning wake
The matin song.

The owl on a dead tree
Deplores the melody,
And the returning light
In his eyes.

The pine its golden head
Bows in the sun so red,
And thus the wood concludes
Its sacrifice.

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THE INDIANS' CHRIST.

WEIRD MESSIAH OF THE CREDULOUS RED MAN.

He Wears a Blazer—Munchausen Porcupine's Startling Story—What the Ghost Dance Is Like—Cause of the Indian Uprising in the Northwest

THE white man had a Christ. The red man, too, will have one.

Such is the doctrine that has set the whole Northwest on fire.

A glance at the situation in the Northwest, and a brief consideration of the treatment of the Indians by their conquerors, the white men, may shed some light upon the primary cause for this threatened uprising.

Brooding dissatisfaction over years of ill-treatment has caused the advent of this promised Redeemer to be treated with joy by the Indians. With the westward march of civilization the Indian has been crowded further and further back. His boundless prairies have been wantonly depleted of their game. The buffalo is extinct. The deer has retreated to the forests. The Indians to-day are prisoners. They are kept upon reservations limited in extent and limited in their stock of game and fish.

No wonder, then, that the Indian has come to the conclusion that Christ was only for the white man. Having imbibed the idea of a Messianic Savior, it is no wonder that he seized upon the idea of a red man's Christ with avidity, adopted it, and worked himself up to a religious frenzy at the hope that he would at no remote date regain his freedom, his prairies, his game, and his tribal relations.

THE INDIAN MESSIAH AS SEEN BY PORCUPINE.

It is a mystery where this idea originated. Sitting Bull, the great war chief of the Dakota Sioux, is unquestionably at the bottom of all the trouble. But the idea of an Indian messiah is not his own. Neither is it that of Porcupine, the cunning old chief of the Cheyennes, who claims to have talked with the messiah and visited the "happy hunting grounds."

Porcupine's description of the locality in which he was taught the gospel of this mysterious messiah, together with the description of the apostles he met on his trip, points to Utah and the Mormons.

SITTING BULL.

There seems to be little room for doubt that the Mormons of Utah and Nevada are at the bottom of the new craze. In many of its features it resembles the Mormon faith. It bears the ear-marks of Mormonism all over it.

One of the cardinal doctrines of the Mormon faith is a belief in revelation. From time to time the apostles of the Latter-Day Saints, as they call themselves, see visions and have all sorts of things revealed to them by God. So that not only does the location of the new messiah but the essential points in the whole story point to the Mormons as the authors of the evil.

Among the Arapahoe Indians in Wyoming it is supposed the messianic craze was first started. They talked of it in the fall of 1889, during a visit of Porcupine to Shoshone Agency. The doctrine was preached by an Indian called Sage, who said he learned it while in the country to the southwest of the Shoshone Agency during the summer.

This man Sage described where the messiah was to be found, and intimated that he had come on earth for the purpose of restoring it to its rightful owners—the Indians; that he would wipe the white men from the face of the earth, and restore the country to the condition in which it was three hundred years ago.

The Cheyenne chief, Porcupine, was naturally interested by this. He and his companions determined to go to see this new Redeemer. He sent several Indians up to the Indians on Tongue River, in the northern part of Wyoming and the southern part of Montana, to tell them the good news. Then he and a few companions started off on a long and perilous journey.

It must be remembered that Porcupine lives at Cheyenne Agency, which is on the Missouri River, in almost the center of South Dakota. He was visiting at the Shoshone Agency, which is almost in the center of Wyoming, and far away from home. He had probably obtained permission to make this visit, but the step he was taking in journeying a thousand miles further west was unauthorized and he knew it.

Traveling for several days among Indians and white men, they had various experiences and spent some time among some fish-eating Indians. From these Indians Porcupine learned that Christ had appeared upon earth again and had sent for him, thus explaining why he unconsciously had started on his journey. The Great Father was said to be with Christ, and eleven of the latter's sons were also there.

At a great pow-wow the Great Father sent word to Porcupine, through the sons of the chief, that in the course of fourteen days he would visit them.

Then followed a most remarkable scene, in which the hand of the Mormon hierarchy is apparent. Two days they waited in expectation. At the end of that time a vast concourse of Indians

CHIEF GALL.

was assembled. A place near the agency was cleared in the form of a great ring, into which they all entered.

The sun was just setting. It was a cold afternoon in November, and any one who is familiar with the West can imagine the scene. The snow-capped peaks of the Sierra Nevadas rose to the west, tinted pink and gold with the glory of the western sunset, the dark pines around their bases mirrored in the still darker waters of the lake, the vast assemblage of Indians, clothed in brilliant blankets, the blue smoke of the fires rising among the tepees, straight up, up, up into the cold gray vault above. The silence is scarcely broken. The Indians

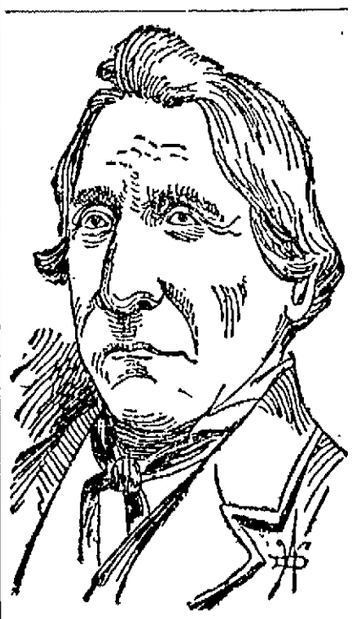
A MEDICINE MAN.

are sitting around smoking their pipes and saying nothing.

Just as the veil of darkness began to spread itself over the pine trees in the valley, while yet the light shone upon the mountains, a large body of men, dressed in the garb of civilization, arrived and entered the cleared circle. They had no tents, so sheets were erected all around the circle to keep off the cold night wind.

A whisper went around among the assembled Indians.

"Christ has come!"



RED CLOUD.

Porcupine's description of Christ's garb is rather incongruous. Says he:

"He was dressed in a white coat, with stripes. The rest of his dress was a white man's, except that he wore moccasins."

By this time it was dark, and by the light of the camp fires Christ began to dance in the slow, rhythmic style of the Indian. The others all joined the dance,

THE GHOST DANCE.

Christ singing as an accompaniment. Late into the night they danced until Christ told them they had danced enough. Porcupine had plenty of opportunity of watching the savior. He had heard that he had been crucified, so looked carefully for the scars left by the nails. There was one on his face and another on his wrist, but his feet were not visible.

"He seemed to be the man," remarked Porcupine.

Two days afterward Christ talked to them all day. He told them what he wanted them to do, and explained what he himself would do to aid them. He asked them to remain at peace with the white men. They must prepare for their coming deliverance and spread the news as far and as wide as possible.

The deliverance is to come about in this wise: Some time during the coming winter the messiah will come in all his majesty. With Him will come all the braves who have died and who are now supposed to be in the happy hunting grounds. A great wave of earth will pass over the whole crowd, burying everything thirty feet deep beneath it. The whole race of white men, with their towns, their railroads, their ships and munitions of war, will be exterminated by this burial.

The red men will be buried, too, but will have a supernatural power given them, by which they will climb out through the stratum of earth. When they arrive on the surface they will find themselves purified. They will find every trace of civilization and the hated pale-face wiped out.

The prairies will be covered with waving grass waist-deep. Buffalo will roam as they did of yore. The spirits of the departed dead will all be there, restored again to life. Wild horses will be ready for their use, and the millennium will have dawned.

This climbing out through the earth is a sort of purgatory through which the Indians will have to go in order that they may be purified from every contaminating stain left by the white race. Pain, tribulation and trouble will be encountered, but strength will be given them to overcome the obstacles.

WHAT THE GHOST DANCE IS LIKE.

In preparing for the dance the Indians cut the tallest tree that they can find, and, having dragged it to a level piece of prairie, set it up in the ground. Under this tree four of the head men stand. Others form in a circle and begin to go around and around the tree. The begin the dance Friday afternoon. It is kept up Saturday and Sunday until sundown. During all this time they do not eat or drink. They keep going round in one direction until they become so dizzy that they can scarcely stand, then turn and go in the other direction and keep it up till they swoon from exhaustion. This is what they strive to do, for while they are in swoon they think they see and talk with the new Christ. When they regain consciousness they tell their experiences to the four wise men under the tree. All their tales end with the same story about the two mountains that are to belch forth mud and bury the white men and the return of good Indian times.

They lose all their senses in the dance. They think they are animals. Some get down on all fours and bob about like buffalo. When they can not lose their senses from exhaustion they butt their heads together, beat them on the ground, and do anything to become insensible, so that they may be ushered into the presence of the new Christ. One poor Indian, when he recovered his senses, said that Christ had told him he must return to earth because he had not brought with him his wife and child. His child had died two years before, and the way the poor fellow cried was most heartrending. At the end of the dance they had a grand feast, the revel lasting all Sunday night. They kill several steers and eat them raw and drink and gorge themselves to make up for their fast. Every Indian has about four war clubs made out of round stones twisted in rawhide. They throw these around during the dance, strew the ground with them, and beat their heads against them.

An Odd Proposition.

One of the oddest contributions to the really large body of literature called forth by the "servant question" is the proposal of Mrs. Frances Darwin in an English magazine that a servant girl when applying for a situation should have the same right to ask for references from the mistress that the mistress has to ask them from the servant. For the purpose of meeting this legitimate demand she suggests that each mistress should name two referees among her former servants who have lived with her within a year. This assumes a judicial mindedness and power of expression on the part of servant girls which they hardly ever possess, and it assumes also that the servant girls do not already act as references about mistresses for each other. The truth is that nearly every employer's character, as an employer, is pretty well known to all the servant girls in the neighborhood. They describe the ways of the people they live with to one another at their Sunday evening conventicles with a minuteness and prolixity which leaves nothing to be desired in the way of information about temper, habits, kind and amount of work. It would be a waste of labor for any housekeeper to appoint standing referees, because their judgment would either be superfluous or ineffective, and would besides this be highly colored by the reasons of the referee for leaving or staying in the house.

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Reflections of an Elevating Character—Wholesome Food for Thought—Studying the Scriptural Lesson Intelligently and Profitably.

The lesson for Sunday, Dec. 21, may found in Luke 24: 44-53.

INTRODUCTORY.

We have come to the last and crowning effort of the life of Christ. Here his glory is fully manifested as he gives his final instructions to his disciples. He is visibly taken up into heaven, whence he will not less gloriously reappear: Even so come, Lord Jesus! Farrar thus groups the ten appearances of the risen Christ: 1. To Mary of Magdala (John 20: 11-17; Mark 16: 9). 2. To other women (Matt. 28: 9, 10). 3. To Peter (Luke 24: 34; 1 Cor. 15: 5). 4. To the disciples on the way to Emmaus (Luke 24: 13-35; Mark 16: 12, 13). 5. To ten apostles, and others (Luke 24: 36-49; John 20: 19-23; Mark 16: 14). 6. To the eleven apostles, including Thomas (John 30: 26-29). 7. To the eleven apostles at the Lake of Galilee (John 21: 1-24). 8. To the five hundred on the hill of Galilee (Mark 28: 16-20; Mark 16: 15-18; 1 Cor. 15: 6). 9. To James, the Lord's brother (1 Cor. 15: 7). 10. Before the Ascension (Luke 24: 50, 51; Acts 1: 6-9).

WHAT THE LESSON SAYS.

And he said to them—Directly following the eating of the "broiled fish," rendered in the last lesson.——These are the words, i. e., "that all things must be fulfilled," etc., below. (Luke 18: 31-34.)——Spoke to you, or talked over with you (Iaico).——While yet with you. He does not seem to consider himself on exactly the same bodily relations as before.——Toses.——Prophets.——Psalms. The threefold division of the Old Testament, the Psalms including all the lyrical and strictly poetical books.

Opened. Intensive form. To open out.——Understanding, or mind (noun), the opened mind constituting the "understanding," as we use the word.——That they might understand the Scriptures. Literally, might put together the writings, the only way to properly understand the Bible.

Thus it behooved. Rather, Thus it is written that the Christ should suffer. (Tischendorf.)——From the dead. Out from among the dead is nearer the Greek phraseology.

Repentance. Man's change of mind.——Remission, Forgiveness, the change so called on God's part.——Preached gospel preaching takes root, then, back in the old economy.——All nations. The scriptures, rightly understood, speak for all mankind (Isa. 49: 6).——Beginning at Jerusalem. But certainly not stopping there. "Out of Zion shall go forth the law (Isa. 2: 3).

And ye, i. e., those who knew him, having been with him, pre-eminently the apostles.——Witnesses, testifiers to the truth of the things prophesied. The acts is the mind of this witnessing in the early days of the church.

I send. Present tense, as being so imminent.——The promise of my Father. So promised in Joel 2: 28, reiterated in the gospels as at John 14: 16——Remain, see Acts 2: 1.——Endued with or clothed, as of the putting on of a new garment.

To Bethany. The preferred reading is, near Bethany, probably one of the secluded slopes of Olivet.——Blessed: spoke words of blessing.

While he blessed. While in the act. Was parted; literally, stood apart.

Worshiped, i. e., prostrated themselves.——Great joy, evidently expectant of something better.

Continually. In obedience to his word, "tarry."

WHAT THE LESSON TEACHES.

These are the words. Almost the first thing Christ was doing when he began his ministry was pointing to the Scripture concerning himself. That was there in the synagogue at Nazareth. Now the last he is doing as he leaves the earth, in his bodily presence, is pointing again to the word. Assuredly Christ cared for the Bible, and he holds it up before us as the abiding lamp for our feet and light for our path. It puts us on essentially the same place as those early disciples. We are not able to place our fingers in the print of the nails but we can put our fingers upon the sacred page and upon the very words he spake while yet with us. Is not that enough? He said it was then.

Then opened he their understanding. It is possible then for one to read the Scriptures without understanding, for certainly these men were Bible students, and since they had so read without the understanding up to this point, it is possible for one to-day to peruse the word to little avail. We need the understanding clarified. In the last lesson we read how Christ opened the disciples' eyes that they might know him. He is doing the same thing for them all now, and we may say, for us all. For the understanding he gave them was that they might even see the sin-bearing and triumphing Christ in his word. This he does through his Spirit, for each of us as for them. To read the Bible with understanding is to find Christ revealed to the heart therein.

And ye are witnesses of these things. There is something, then, for us to do. Christ has left with us the lively declaration of the things which he said and did. "How much I would give to see a genuine revival of religion in this place!" Instantly the words seem spoken in the heart, "How much?" God comes to us and he asks how much we are willing to do to make his salvation known to a lost world. What is your witness? Does your tongue tell of his grace? Better still, does your life testify of the kingdom and patience of Christ? If we would see his kingdom come, we must keep on witnessing.

Endued with power. That power has been given, poured out upon the church. It only remains for the believing soul to personally appropriate it. At Acts 1: 4 we see Christ bidding the disciples to "wait for the promise of the Father." It was but a promised gift to them. Turn to Acts 2: 23, and we find it spoken of as a gift possessed: "Having received of the Father the promise of the Holy Ghost, he had shed forth this, which ye now see and hear." The Spirit has already been given to Christ for us, and whenever we receive Christ we receive the Spirit with him. If we have not given ourselves fully to Christ, then we are not fully in the spirit. To be filled with the Spirit, give up the whole to Christ—body, soul, feet, hand and life. All his—all ours.

While he blessed them he was parted from them. This, his parting token, he was always blessing, going about doing good. He lifted up his hands, as it were, to bless the bread and then, by that same sweet, tell-tale gesture, they knew him. It was his familiar attitude. There on the tree his arms were outspread as if to take a wide world to his breaking heart, and when next he appeared in the closed room after the resurrection he was putting out his hands in blessing. Yes, when last we beheld him, as the heavens received him out of our sight, his hands were lifted in blessing. And, for us who love him, what shall be the future? "Ye men of Galilee, why stand ye gazing up into heaven? This same Jesus which is taken up from you into heaven, shall so come in like manner as ye have seen him go into heaven."

Next Lesson—Review, or any lesson preferred by school.

SYLVESTER'S LITTLE LARK.

He Had an Unpleasant Reception, But It Turned Out All Right.

"Goo-good-night," said Mr. Sylvester, with an effort, as he reached his own house. "Hope you won't find your wife sitting up f-for you. Mine u-used to, but I got her out of that notion pretty quick. She's sound asleep now, I'll warrant, and no make believe, either. I might fire off a Gatling gun alongside of her best ear and she'd never know it."

Mr. Sylvester parted from his neighbor and entered his own house, opening and shutting the door with some trouble, and a good deal of noise. Then he extinguished the hall light, fell up stairs one step at a time, and went into the front room, which was dimly lighted. And there he saw his wife sitting in a rocking chair by the dressing table. Her back was toward him, and she did not look up or speak—both bad signs.

"Lizbeth," said Mr. Sylvester, with much dignity, sitting down on the side of the bed unsteadily, "what are you doing there?"

No response.

"Lizbeth, haven't I told you never to set 'em up, I mean set—sit up for me? It isn't proper. I'm old enough to come home w-when I please, Lizbeth. I c-command you not to do it again. Why don't you say something, Lizbeth?"

Mrs. Sylvester preserved a discreet silence. Mr. Sylvester resumed:

"Lizbeth, I command you to speak. It isn't treating me with proper respect to sit there s' mum. What have I done to be treated like this? Will you speak, Lizbeth?"

There was only silence more profound.

"Very well, Lizbeth, you'll be sorry f'r this in the morning. I shall now retire to my—bless my soul, Lizbeth, who is this?"

Mr. Sylvester stood up very straight and stared at the bed, on the edge of which he had been sitting. There lay his excellent wife sound asleep, her bangs done up in tissue paper and a smile of placid contentment on her lips.

"Who's that other woman?" stammered Mr. Sylvester in a sotto voce tone. Then he took courage to approach and pluck her by the sleeve. Pshaw. She came to pieces in his hands. It was only Mrs. Sylvester's clothes which she had arranged handily in case of fire.

And Sylvester murmured: "Saved again, b'gosh!" as he tucked himself in his little bed, while his wife continued to sleep the sleep of the just.—*Detroit Free Press.*

Eggs in Manufactures and the Arts.

It is an error, says Bradstreet's, to suppose that eggs have no considerable use except for food. They are employed in calico printing, in photography, in gilding, in clarifying various liquors, and in bookbinding. A large business has sprung up in the preparation of photographic paper with salted albumen, and one establishment alone is said to have used more than 2,000,000 eggs in six months for this purpose. Many attempts have been made to find a vegetable or animal substitute for albumen, but in vain. A prize of $2,000, offered thirty years ago by an English society for the discovery of a material or process for replacing albumen in calico printing, still remains untaken. Nor are the yolks of eggs used in manufacturing wholly wasted. They are also employed in the arts, and a manufacturer in Vienna solidifies them. Possibly, too, the developments in canning will before long give us canned eggs, or perhaps condensed eggs, suitable at least for cooking. At any rate it would seem worth while to try to raise part of the eggs which are consumed by other countries.

Ten Dollar Bills for Curl Paper.

"Put a nice curl in my mustache, will you?" said a well-dressed man Wednesday morning as he leaned back in a chair in a Fourth street barber shop.

"Yes, sir," said the barber as he tucked a towel under the man's chin. "I'll put a curl in it that will stay a week," he added a minute later as he pulled a couple of bills out of his pocket and smoothed them on the customer's shoulder. Then he twisted up one side of the mustache and deftly fastened it with one of the bills. The same was done with the other. The man was surprised, evidently, at seeing money used for curl papers, and more surprised as he saw a big X in front of each eye.

The barber applied the lather, but the man grew nervous.

"Is that money you have twisted in my mustache?" he asked.

"Yes, sir, I always prefer good American scrip to common paper or tin foil. And then," he added, after a pause, "it gives tone to the business."

"Well, I've had money in all parts of my clothes, in my shoes and hat band, even in my undershirt, but—well, I never had it in my mustache before. And they look like two saw bucks; are they?"

"Yes; each is a ten. I have used two fifties, but that's when money was a little more plentiful."

The barber shaved away, and the customer evidently kept up thinking. The chair was near the door, and the faucet some feet back in the shop. When the barber walked back to wet the towel, after going over the man's face once, the latter suddenly raised up, sprang from the chair and bolted out the door.

"Hold on there you—fool!" yelled the barber, as he ran to the door; but the man didn't hold. He ran up an alley in the same block.

Then the barber sat down and roared, while the others in the shop joined in with him. "I thought he was going to do that all the time. Well, I've got the best of the bargain anyway. He has got the shave and the Confederate ten dollar bills, and I've got his hat."—*St. Paul Pioneer Press.*

Prehistoric Sewing.

The art of sewing has been kown from a very remote period, as is shown by the fact that bone needles have been found among the oldest remains of the Swiss-lake dwellings, and in the caves of France and Great Britain which were frequented by man during the reindeer age. Some of these early needles were perforated in the middle—which was the thickest part—and others were pierced at the larger end. A French cavern has yielded needles much superior to those of the ancient Gauls and to the ivory needles of the modern Esquimaux, especial skill having been applied to the boring of the eyes, which must have been done with a fine flint drill. The Swiss lake-dwellers used linen thread or bark fiber for sewing, and made garments from woven fabrics of linen and bark as well as from the skins of animals. The cave people employed a thread made from split tendons and perhaps strings of gut, and the fineness of some of their needles has suggested the probability that they performed some more delicate work than the sewing of skins.

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The Indianapolis News says: "The federal grand jury continued its investigation of the Miller-Robinson case this forenoon. James H. Rice, who went to Fort Wayne yesterday, was called home to testify. He presented to the jury a photographic copy of letter and envelope. No one expects the jury to return an indictment against the attorney general. There isn't evidence showing conclusively that the envelope that Robinson offered to sell to the democratic committee is the one the letter came in, and furthermore, if the franked envelope was used it was only a mistake that is made scores of times in each department of the government."

St. Louis and New Orleans Limited Mail.

By a recent change of time on the Illinois Central railroad from St. Louis, the Wabash St. Louis train leaving Fort Wayne at 8:17 p. m. makes close connection in Union depot with the St. Louis and New Orleans Limited Mail, making the run from St. Louis in less than twenty-four hours. With the addition of this new fast train from St. Louis, a sleeping car line is practically formed between Fort Wayne and the Crescent city, making the trip one of ease comfort and rapidity. For full information and sleeper reservations apply to the Wabash ticket office. Telephone No. 6. R. G. Thompson,
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E. A. K. Hackett, Editor and Proprietor.

SATURDAY, DEC. 20, 1890.

OUR CIRCULATION.

State of Indiana, Allen County, ss:

Personally appeared before me, Clerk of the Allen circuit court, Jos. F. Ervin, business manager of The Fort Wayne Sentinel, who makes oath that the actual number of copies of The Daily Sentinel delivered to subscribers and sold to newsboys and news agents, during the week ending Saturday, Dec. 13, 1890, was as follows:

Monday, Dec. 8	2,902
Tuesday, Dec. 9	2,849
Wednesday, Dec. 10	2,871
Thursday, Dec. 11	2,941
Friday, Dec. 12	2,878
Saturday, Dec. 13	2,927
Total for the Week	17,368
Average for the Week	2,895

[Signed.] Jos. F. Ervin.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of Dec., 1890. Daniel W. Souder, Clerk.

THIS DAY IN THE PAST.

1745—Charles Edward retreated to Scotland.
1780—Declaration of war between England and Holland.
1791—Born in Nantucket, Mass., William Mitchell, astronomer, died April 19, 1868.
1843—Benjamin K. Emerson, naturalist, born in Nashua, N. H.
1848—Louis Napoleon proclaimed president of the French republic by vote of the people on Dec. 11.
1851—Louis Napoleon elected president of the French republic for ten years.
1860—South Carolina seceded from the Union.
1862—Gen. Van Dorn cut Grant's line of supplies at Holly Springs, Miss., and obliged him to retreat.
1862—Sherman embarked from Memphis with 30,000 men to begin operations against Vicksburg.
1865—Died, Samuel Ames, jurist, in Providence, R. I.; born there Sept. 6, 1806.
1867—The Fenians of Robert's and Stephens' factions in America unite under a common leadership.
1868—Lord Mayo appointed governor general of India.
1880—Died in London, England, Francis Trevelyan Buckland, naturalist, aged 54 years.
1888—In Buffalo, N. Y., James N. Matthews, proprietor of The Buffalo Express, died, aged 60 years.
1889—Mwanga, king of Uganda, Africa, replaced on his throne by the aid of missionaries.

TO-NIGHT.

G. A. R.—George Humphrey post, regular meeting.
MASONIC TEMPLE—Clemenceau Case.
WORLD'S MUSEUM—New attractions and stage performance.
PRINCESS RINK—Roller Skating.

The year is rapidly drawing to a close.

The coming of Christmas can be seen on every hand.

The railroad department Y. M. C. A. have issued an attractive holiday paper.

Francis Murphy commences a series of meetings at Indianapolis to-morrow.

Henry M. Stanley, the African explorer, lectured at Indianapolis last evening.

A girl ten years of age, of Muncie, has turned highwayman, and robs other girls whenever opportunity offers.

The Ripley Independent, published at Batesville, Ind., has been sold to Donald McCallum, of Benham, who will assume control January 1.

A ghost is haunting the waters in the vicinity of the Franklin street bridge at Michigan City, and none but the bravest venture near there after nightfall.

This city will probably have quite a real estate boom next spring. If so it will send up prices on property to a higher notch than they are at present.

The Portland Sun says: "The Gazette and News, of Fort Wayne, are both in favor of Judge Gresham for the republican candidate for president in 1892. 'President Harrison cannot carry Indiana in 1892,' is what N. R. Leonard, editor of the Gazette, says."

There are now forty-four states in the union. The last six were admitted as follows: Montana, November 8, 1889; North Dakota, November 2, 1889; South Dakota, November 2, 1889; Washington, November 11, 1889; Idaho, July 3, 1890; Wyoming, July 10, 1890.

Superintendent T. J. Charlton, of the reform school for boys, is so far improved that he is again "at the helm" at Plainfield. He says he feels like he might now hope to live to celebrate his centennial. There was a tremendous ovation awaiting the big-hearted superintendent on the part of the whole school and officers upon his reappearance.

Patrick O'Connor, of Wichita, Kansas, the leader of the Cherokee strip colony, stated yesterday that there are now at least 300 families camping in the strip within twenty miles of Caldwell, and many coming every day. He said it was proposed to make an invasion on the 5th of next month, and make the fight for settlement until congress and Chief Mays would see it was important to hasten negotiations.

SUPREME COURT DECISIONS.

At Indianapolis yesterday, in the supreme court of the state, the case of the Barber Asphalt company against Joseph K. Edgerton, et al., was decided, the supreme court denying a rehearing. Unless the suit is taken to the United States supreme court, the Wayne street property owners, who have not done so, must pay their assessments for the new pavement.

This decision explains itself: Michael Baltes et al. vs. Bass foundry and machine works et al. Allen S. C. Reversed. Berkshire, J. (1) An award or judgment against one of several joint tort feasors will not bar an action against the others, as the cause of action is joint and several, and not joint. Nothing short of full satisfaction, or its equivalent, can make good a plea of former adjudication in such case. (2) Where arbitrators have completed their award and separated, their duties and powers are at an end, and if part of them afterwards abandon the original award and have another paper drawn up, which is treated by them as the award, the condition is the same as if there had been no award.

The supreme court sets aside an adverse ruling of the superior court and this leaves the controversy still unsettled.

STARTS IN GOOD SHAPE.

Successful Steps Taken for the Formation of a Y. M. C. A. Literary Society.

A meeting was held last evening in the parlors of the city department of the Young Men's Christian Association, for the purpose of taking initiatory steps for the formation of a literary society in connection with the Y. M. C. A. There were over twenty young men present. D. F. Bower was made chairman of the meeting, a temporary secretary appointed, and after a discussion of the matter, all present expressed themselves as heartily in favor of the movement, and it was voted to form such an organization. A committee consisting of Prof. M. A. Brannon, B. F. Calvert, Dr. John S. McCurdy, Geo. R. Hench and Frank Dildine, was appointed to draw up a constitution for the society and report at a meeting to be held next Friday evening at the same place.

It is the purpose of the society to hold their meetings one evening each week in the rooms of association. The object is the cultivation of the literary talents of the members and the program of their exercises will consist of debate, essays, orations, declamations, songs and other music. The membership will include ladies and gentlemen, and the public will always be welcomed to the meetings of the association. The nucleus that gathered last night to start the ball to rolling are active, energetic young men, and will make the new society a success. They unite in urging all who wish to join this new literary organization to attend the meeting next Friday evening and enroll their names as members. The constitution of the society will then be adopted and all will know just what this organization proposes to do. It will be a success and prove of great good to the young men and ladies of this city. Join it. You will be made welcome. Attend the meeting next Friday evening.

Tiddle de Wink.

Have you ever played played Tiddle de wink? If not, get a set and learn at once, as it will be the fashionable game this season. Progressive Tiddle de wink is now having quite a run in several of the larger cities and will strike us before long.

The game is not a difficult one to play and affords a great amount of amusement. The requisites are: A lay out, a small glass, a quantity of different colored chips of the size of a dime, a large chip for each color, a steady nerve and lots of patience. The play begins with No. 1, who places one of his small chips on the line and by pressing on its edge with the large chip, or flipper, attempts to flip it into the glass, which stands in the center of the lay out. As long as No. 1 is successful he can continue playing, but a failure to deposit a chip in the glass brings No. 2 into play. So the play goes one until all the chips of one player have been safely landed in the glass, and then the game is ended. If during the game a chip of one color falls on top of that of a different hue, the lower chip can not play until released, which can only be done by the top color, who proceeds playing his other chips until he has deposited them in the glass, and then returning for his last chip which holds the other a prisoner.

CORN SOCIAL.

A Pleasant Social Held at the Second Presbyterian Church.

The Aftermath society of the Second Presbyterian church held a very pleasant corn social in the parlors of the church last evening and a good crowd attended. Supper was served by the ladies from 6 to 8:30 o'clock with the following menu spread before the guests:

Corn Mush (with milk).
"Corn maketh Men cheerful. —Zech 9:17.
Corn Gems.
"Comfort Thine Heart with a Morsel of Bread. —Judg. 19:5.
Corn Bread and Baked Beans.
"They brought Corn Bread and Beans. —2nd Saml 17:28.
Corn Baked Indian Pudding.
"Go ye, carry Corn for the Famine of Thine House."—Gen 42:7.
Corn Beef and Corn Bread.
"Give them Meat in due Season —Matt 24:45.
Corn Starch Blanc Mange.
"Give Him the Fruit of Thy Corn ,—Deut 18:4.
Corn Canned.
"They did Eat of the old Corn of the Land. Josh 5:11.
Corn Starch Cake.
"Bake it on Pans and make Cake of It. —Numbers 11-18.
Coffee.
"Do not Drink Wine or Strong Drink. —Lev 10-9.

The bill of fare was printed on corn colored paper with yellow ribbon as a decoration and an ear of corn printed at the top. It was very handsome. After the supper the audience was entertained with instrumental music finely rendered by Mrs. D. F. Bower.

INSTANTLY KILLED

By Coming in Contact With a Live Electric Wire.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 19.—George Winn, superintendent of Allegheny City fire alarm and police patrol, electrical department, fell from the roof of a three story building on Manhattan street, at 1 o'clock this afternoon, and was instantly killed. It is thought that he came in contact with a live light wire and was knocked from the roof by a shock of electricity.

The common council will be in regular session next Tuesday evening.

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KOCH'S LYMPH.

The Patients Under Treatment at the Philadelphia Hospital.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 19.—the patient from Laramie, Wyoming, who is being treated with Koch's lymph at the Jefferson hospital, received another inoculation yesterday. The gentleman is suffering from incipient tuberculosis of the lungs and larynx, and following the injection of yesterday he exhibited the various symptoms described by Dr. Koch. The three patients being treated at the University of Pennsylvania exhibited slight reaction during yesterday, no other symptoms except those expected developed.

A Wonder Worker.

Mr. Frank Huffman, a young man of Burlington, Ohio, states that he had been under the care of two prominent physicians, and used their treatment until he was not able to get around. They pronounced his case to be Consumption and incurable. He was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds and at that time was not able to walk across the street without resting. He found, before he had used half of a dollar bottle, that he was much better; he continued to use it and is to day enjoying good health. If you have any Throat, Lung or Chest Trouble try it. We guarantee satisfaction. Trial bottle free at Dreier & Bro.'s drug store.

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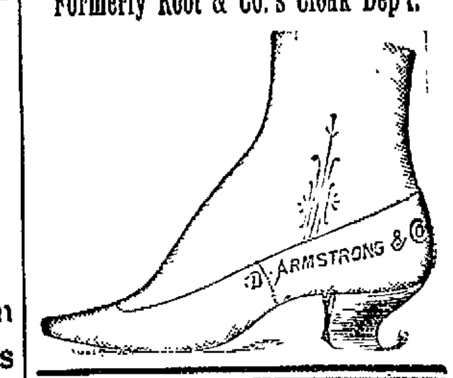

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SATURDAY'S SPARKS.

Small Bits of News and Personal Gossip as Heard Around the City's Busy Centers.

Robert Ryan has accepted a position in the American wheel works.

The employes of the electric light works received their wages to-day.

Thomas Powers has resigned his position in the moulding rooms of the Bass works.

J. Bitner has resumed his position in the Bass boiler shops, after a few days sickness.

Cal Baker and H. C. McKinley, of the electric light works, will spend the holidays at Kendallville.

Harry Johnson, road foreman of engineers on the Grand Rapids road, was in the city yesterday.

J. H. Kellogg, engineer on the east local of the Pittsburg road, is absent from duty on account of sickness.

The electric light works shipped a twenty-five arc light plant of the Wood system to Youngstown, Ohio to-day.

Frank Potgen has returned from Centerville, Iowa, where he was placing a gas holder for the Kerr Murray works.

Engineers J. Parrish and E. O. Bradley, of the Pittsburg road, have reported for duty after a few days' vacation.

Louis Witte, of the car wheel department of the Bass moulding rooms, is seriously sick at his home on John street.

I. G. Clark, formerly a fireman on the Grand Rapids road, has accepted a position in the machine department of the Bass works.

F. G. Weaver, fireman on the Pittsburg road, is off duty on account of sickness in his family, and Fireman M. J. Pocock has reported after a few days' sickness.

Mr. Lankenan has accepted a position as bookkeeper in the offices of the electric light works. He formerly held a similar position with the Pape furniture company.

The passenger trains on the Pittsburg road, were several hours late yesterday and last night, on account of the deep snow which obstructed the track east of Crestline.

Thomas Martin, of the Pittsburg freight house, is recovering from injuries received by accidently falling from the platform and striking his head against a rail.

The members of the local lodge of the national association of machinists are making big preparations for their grand ball, to be given at Standard hall on New Year's eve.

James Lanigan, engineer on the Fort Wayne road, has been granted a lay-off. He will leave early next week for Philadelphia, New York and other points. He will be absent several weeks.

Joseph Harkenreider, of the east Pittsburg car shops, who has been absent from duty for six weeks, on account of sickness, is slowly recovering, and will be able to resume his duties in a short time.

John Harkenreider, foreman of the Pennsylvania car shops at Crestline, O., was in the city yesterday, called here on account of the death of his cousin, Joseph Grush. He returned home last evening.

C. Slagle and James Costigan, of the electric light offices, have each been presented with new ink stands of an artistic design. They were Christmas presents from lady friends, so the rest of the clerks say.

Ed. J. O'Connell, of the shop clerk's office of the Pittsburg shops, has returned from a trip to Chicago, where he accompanied his mother who left for an extensive trip to Arkansas and California.

P. W. O'Niel, A. Corcoran, Peter Haeck, J. W. and Edward Pegg, Geo. Cronmiller, J. Koeneman, M. W. Lauer and Elmer Bender, have accepted positions at the electric light works within the last week.

A new platform is being built on the east side of the new store room at the Electric light works to facilitate the loading of heavy dynamos into cars on the new side track which has been built from the Wabash track to the works.

F. A. Tegtmeyer, of the Pittsburg round house, is suffering from a badly injured finger. While on duty yesterday he accidentally left a heavy piece of iron fall on the first finger of his left hand, fracturing the bone. It will necessitate his absence from duty for a few weeks.

During the summer months when the large consignments of ice were being shipped over the Grand Rapids road, several engines from the Duluth, South Shore and Atlantic road were borrowed to help haul the freight. Four of them were returned yesterday and the rest will probably be returned in a few days.

George Threadgall, of the car wheel department of the Bass works, chaperoned a party of hunters out in the country to day. They left on the "cannon ball" express of the Wabash road and will go to Aboite station. They took a tent along and will probably remain a few days. They were accompanied by seven English grey hounds. They expect to bring home much wild game.

The International Brotherhood of Machine Moulders held their regular meeting in their rooms at the Knights of Labor hall last evening and elected officers to serve during the ensuing year. This organization is growing into popularity and now has quite a number of names on the membership list. The members and officers have worked hard in the interest of the association and it is now in a very prosperous condition.

Wm. J. Conolly, who for three years has made his home in this city, learning the machinist's trade in the Wabash shops, will spend the holidays with his mother at Logansport. After a short stay there he will be the guest of his uncle, Superintendent Stevens, of the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad, at Richmond, Ind. He will then take a course in a mechanical school at Indianapolis, after which he will accept a responsible position with the road. He is a young man of fine abilities, and his many friends in this city will wish him success. On the eve of his departure a reception will be given in his honor at his boarding place, 77 Douglass avenue.

The teachers in the public schools received their monthly salaries to-day.

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THE TEMPLE THEATRE.

The Clemenceau Case To-Night.--The Still Alarm.

"The Still Alarm," which is to appear at the Masonic Temple for three nights and a matinee, beginning Christmas afternoon, is without doubt the most successful American comedy ever produced,

and was played to crowded houses all over this country and in England. It is said to have the most realistic scene ever put on the stage, in the way of a real steam fire engine and real horses. It shows the departure of a fire engine to a fire in New York. In this scene the firemen slide down the poles from their beds in an upper story; two horses rush out to the waiting engine; harnesses are dropped on their backs as if by magic, and the steamer is off with sparks and smoke as the flying steeds go at a terrific gallop out of the station. Mr. Harry Lacy, an actor of excellent reputation, enacts the role of the hero fireman, Jack Manley, and is supported by an admirably balanced company.

THE CLEMENCEAU CASE.

The following dispatch appeared in the Boston Globe concerning "The Clemenceau Case," which appears at the Temple to-night:

LYNN, Nov. 27.—The announcement that W. A. Brady's five-act play, "The Clemenceau Case," was to be presented at the Lynn Theatre Thanksgiving caused a rush for tickets when the sale of seats opened and at the matinee performance there was between 900 and 1000 ladies and gentlemen present. The audience was a representative one. Miss Sybil Johnstone, who is seen as "Iza," was charming, and not one move was made that would cause even the most modest to blush.

DEATH COMES

To a Prominent Man Suddenly---The Grim Reaper's Work.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 19.—J. H. Stevenson, treasurer of the Delaware and Bound Brook railroad, was struck by a train on the Pennsylvania road near Fitler's station, yesterday, and fatally injured. He was brought to this city where he died at midnight.

CLAREMONT, N. H., Dec. 19.—Edwin Vaughn, probate judge, and late consul to Canada, died here yesterday.

PARIS, Dec. 19.—The death at Cannes of the widely known Belgian socialist, Caieser de Pape, is announced.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Rev. Wm. Massau Molesworth, M. A., a well known author, is death.

Be sure and call for Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, if you are troubled with a bad cough or cold.

Mr. L. B. Kiefer, of Lancaster, Pa., wrote us:—Having a sprained leg of almost thirty days standing, and after trying half a dozen advertised preparations in the market without satisfactory results, I tried Salvation Oil, and in less than three days my leg was all right again. There's nothing like it.

Dr. W. J. Carter has returned from Findlay, O.

The best medical writers claim that the successful remedy for nasal catarrh must be non-irritating, easy of application, and one that will reach all the remote sores and ulcerated surfaces. The history of the efforts to treat catarrh during the past obliges us to admit that only one remedy has met these conditions, and that is Ely's Cream Balm. This pleasant remedy has mastered catarrh as nothing else has ever done, and both physicians and patients freely concede this fact. The more distressing symptoms yield to it.

Holiday Excursions Via the Pennsylvania Lines.

Excursion tickets will be sold at reduced rates at all ticket stations of the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg on December 24th, 25th, and 31st, 1890, and January 1st, 1891. Tickets will be good returning until January 5th, inclusive. 3-w&s-td

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THE INDIANS BELEIVE

A New World is Coming in Which the White Men Will be Buffaloes and Elks.

J. M. Stouder, who owns a ranche near the Standing Rock agency in North Dakota, the scene of the present Indian troubles, and who for some years resided there, has received a letter from Wm. V. Wade, who is also operating a ranche in that country, giving a vivid description of the Indian's antics. Mr. Wade says the Indians believe that a new world is going to come and that they will then be restored to their ancient supremacy. This new world, they say, will be alive with buffaloes, deer, elks and all kinds of game and the white men will be crushed from the earth forever as men and be resurrected as buffaloes and elks for the Indians to hunt. To bring this happy time about they are taught that it is their duty to shoot and kill the white men as rapidly as possible. Mr. Stouder is greatly interested in the Indian troubles there and talks entertainingly about these western savages with whose habits and mode of life he is so well acquainted.

LOCAL LINES.

It is reported that "Jack, the Hugger," was at his pranks at the corner of Harrison and Highland streets last evening.

Miss Mollie McClure, teacher in the Washington school, has been absent from her duties this week on account of sickness.

Miss Bertie Homsher, of South Webster street, will leave for Detroit next Monday, to visit her sister, Mrs. E. Blanchard.

Alfred K. Irey is critically ill with inflammation of the stomach, and his recovery is doubtful. Mr. Irey is at his home, 86 Wells street.

J. H. Russell, Jackson, Mich.; Chas. Eckhart, Auburn; G. B. Work, Decatur, Ind., H. A. Rockwood, Concord, N. H., are at the Aldine.

Miss Miriam Cohen, teacher in the Hoagland school, entertained her pupils in a delightful way at her home on Webster street, this afternoon.

Mrs. Sidney Walker and her three-year-old son, of Portland, Oregon, who was visiting her aunt, Mrs. Joseph Harter, 170 West Main street, left for home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Chute, of Atlanta, Ga., are the guests or Mrs. Chute's sister, Mrs. Henry Orff, of West Creighton avenue. They will leave for their home next Monday.

Henry D. Wilner, Green Bay, Wis.; B. F. Thomas, Danbury, Conn.; E. D. Jordan, Payne, Ohio; M. B. Wells, Auburn, Ind.; H. A. Rome, Wooster, Ohio: George F. Card, Covington, Ky.; A. B. Mitchell, Indianapolis, are at the Aveline.

A lady residing on West Berry street, has been a sufferer from an ear trouble of late, and in search of relief she communicated with Dr. Knapp, an eminent aurist of New York city, asking his opinion as to the advisability of her going to that city for treatment. Dr. Knapp paid a flattering compliment to the professional ability of one of our specialists, right here at home, by recommending that she save herself the harassments of travel and the inconvenience of being away from home, by placing herself under the care of Dr. T. J. Dills, who, he guaranteed, would accomplish as much good for her case as any New York physician could. This instance goes to illustrate that some of Fort Wayne's professional talent has won a reputation national in its character. It is growing to be a matter of frequency that counsel is sought from the professional lights of this city.

An Equivalent for Suicide.

If we allow our bodily infirmities to make away with us through neglect, have we such an immense moral advantage over the deliberate suicide? Scarcely. For example, the deadly progress of Bright's disease, diabetes, acute nephritis and gravel is sure—often terribly swift in the catastrophe. Most people of average information know that this is the simple, unvarnished truth in regard to those widely prevalent maladies. To delay judicious medication is especially suicidal in such cases. The means of restraint is to be found in Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Give an impetus to the action of the kidneys with this safe and reliable diuretic, and the infant complaint is shorn at its birth of the power for evil. Allow it to grow, and anticipate the worst. The Bitters, which annihilates these growing troubles, also eradicates dyspepsia, rheumatism malarial and liver complaints. Appetite, sleep and vigor are also promoted by it.

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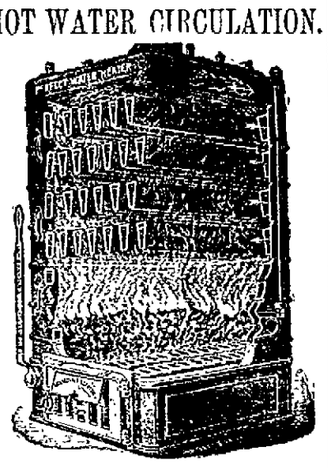

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WANTED—Boarding; private Christian families who would like to give a home to one or two young men at reasonable prices, should send their names to D. F. Bower, general secretary of the city department Y. M. C. A. 12-tf

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WANTED—The people who purchased lots in Lakeside, when they were first put upon the market, can now sell their lots at an advance in price that would show an annual interest on the amount invested of from fifty to eighty per cent. The timid, the unprogressive and the suspicious didn't keep up with the procession and so were "left," as they deserved to be. Fort Wayne is going rapidly to the front of Indiana cities, and the unreasonably low prices at which real estate is selling cannot long continue. The advance will nowhere be so rapid as in beautiful Lakeside. 5-tf

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Nice 8 room dwelling on Jackson street	2,600
Fine track in Savilla Place,	1,500
Handsome 8 room dwelling on Wayne St.,	3,600
Large lot on South Wayne avenue,	600
Two dwellings on Madison road,	4,700
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Fifty years since as they are to-day.
I was as chipper as most of the set
That posed and bowed in the minuet—
Fifty years ago.

Grandfather's house, on a Christmas night
Fifty years since, was ablaze with light.
Joshua caught and kissed me there,
Asked me a question, fairly and square,
Under the mistletoe.

Girls were as fair, and fickle were they,
Fifty years since as they are to-day.
Fickle was I as most of the set,
Who haven't answered the question yet—
Fifty years ago.

And gray and old as I had to grow,
I can feel that kiss of the long ago.
For Joshua just now kissed his wife
For the fiftieth Christmas of his life,
Under the mistletoe.

HOME AGAIN.

IT was Christmas Eve at the farm-house at Chestnut Ridge. Snow was falling, too, thick and and fast, covering the fields and meadows with a wintry carpet. In the house, sitting around the broad hearth, was a group of brown-haired children, while in the corner, in a high-backed chair, sat an old man. This was Uncle Darby, as everybody called him.

And these were his grandchildren, come to spend the merry Christmas time at the old homestead, because, as little Amy expressed it, Santa Claus always brought them nicer presents at Chestnut Ridge than in their own little home in the city, because the chimney was so large and nice to come down in.

"Please, gran'pa, tell us a story." It was little Amy's voice that spoke, and she stole around and laid her curly head on his arm.

"Tell us about Uncle Charley," cried Freddie.

The old man sighed again—then tear after tear coursed down his furrowed cheeks.

"Charley was always a good boy, and I can't help it when I think of him."

"How long is it, gran'pa, since he went away?"

"Twenty-five years to-night." And the white head was bowed again, but only for a minute.

"He was about your age, Will. Your father was away learning his trade, and Charley and I were all alone. His mother died when he was a baby.

"It was very lonesome here, and I thought I was making Charley happier

"A MAN MUFFLED UP IN OVERCOAT AND FUR COLLAR ENTERED THE ROOM."

when I brought him a new mother. But they did not take to each other. Still, I never thought he was unhappy when he used to sit, evening after evening, just where Freddie is now, looking into the fire, and never speaking. But I know it all now.

"He thought nobody loved him. He thought the old father cared for nobody but his young wife. So he ran away one night when the wind was howling and the snow falling, just as it is to-night.

"He left a letter for me to tell me why he went away, and that was all. Ever since his stepmother died I've been hoping more than ever that he would come back. But he must be dead."

Suddenly there came a rap at the door, and Uncle Darby's trembling voice answered:

"Come in."

And a man, muffled up in overcoat and fur collar, entered the room, and stood, shaking the snow from his fur cap, while he asked if he could be furnished supper and lodging for the night.

"I reckon so, stranger. Come up to the fire," said Uncle Darby.

Then he called out to the housekeeper: "Becky, here's a man wanting a bite to eat."

"Some miserable codger that ain't fit to be put into bed, I'll warrant," muttered the housekeeper.

But, instead of a "codger," she met a

CHRISTMAS MORNING.

well-dressed, fine-looking man. So she beat a hasty retreat to the kitchen, carrying with her the bowl of milk and bread she had brought, and returned, instead, with a substantial supper, which she placed, with a deferential courtesy, before the stranger.

He rose after he had finished, saying: "I'll not trouble you for a bed. A sailor can sleep soundly anywhere. So I'll make this lounge my hammock for to-night, with your permission."

Amy ventured a timid remonstrance against this arrangement. Santa Claus would never come down, she said, if there was any one there to watch him.

"Never you fear that, little curly head," the stranger said, laughing. "He and I are the best of friends."

So it was settled that he should occupy the lounge.

Becky brought out some warm blankets; and after the stockings were hung in their place by the chimney, the children, and shortly after them the old man, retired to rest.

With the first faint light of the Christmas morn Will crept down stairs, and after scraping together the embers, he emptied the contents of his stocking on the floor. Then came the other children, and in the midst of their eager bustle to get to the bottom, Uncle Darby made his appearance, wishing them all a merry Christmas.

The children did seem disappointed, and the old man, who had done his best to please, looked grieved, until Will, from the toe of his stocking, drew forth a silver dollar.

Then, for the first time, a thought was given to the stranger. The children did not think of him even yet. They were busy exploring the depths of each pair of stockings to find a bright new dollar in each.

"He knew we wouldn't take any pay, so he put it there," thought Uncle Darby, as he walked around to the lounge to ask the stranger if he had rested well.

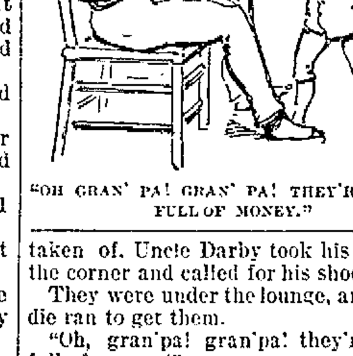
But the lounge was unoccupied. The stranger had vanished.

"Well, I never!" exclaimed Becky. "What possessed him to go off in the night, as though he stole something?"

"He looked like an honest man," said Uncle Darby, as he sat down by the fire in his stocking feet.

When breakfast was ready Becky brought him the family Bible, and with little Amy standing by his side, Uncle Darby read a chapter from its pages, and with her kneeling beside him he offered up the simple morning prayer.

After the breakfast—plain and coarse for a Christmas morning—had been par-



"OH GRAN' PA! GRAN' PA! THEY'RE CHUCK FULL OF MONEY."

taken of, Uncle Darby took his place in the corner and called for his shoes.

They were under the lounge, and Freddie ran to get them.

"Oh, gran'pa! gran'pa! they're chuck full of money!"

And, sure enough, they were. Bright, crisp bills fresh from the bank.

"Don't touch it, Uncle Darby," said Becky; "it's countefeit. Somebody's plottin' to ruin you," and her husband, who just then came in from the barn, re-echoed her words.

"I might just step down and show some of it to Stiles. He'll know," said Uncle Darby.

"Yes, and have you 'rested for tryin' to pass counterfeit money."

"Two thousand dollars! More than enough to pay—to pay——"

"To pay off the mortgage. Yes, if it's good for anything; but 'taint—my word for that!" said Becky.

Uncle Darby took out two of the bills, and rolling the rest up locked them in his desk. Then with Will's help, he was soon ready to go out.

"You go, too, Will," said Becky, seeing the old man could not be dissuaded from going: "and if anything happens come right back and let us know."

In half an hour Uncle Darby came back again, with Will drawing a hand-sled on which a huge turkey with half a dozen paper-covered parcels was tied. Uncle Darby said not a word, but went straight to the desk, and putting the roll of bank bills in his pocket turned to go out again.

"Where now, Uncle Darby?" asked Becky, her eyes wide open with wonderment.

"To Horton's to pay him off. Roast the turkey and make a pudding, Becky. I shall eat Christmas dinner a free man once more."

"Then the money is good. What made the man give it to you?"

"It's the Lord's doings, Becky. We don't understand His ways," answered Uncle Darby, earnestly and solemnly. The heavy debt that had troubled Uncle Darby so sorely for years was paid at last. The china set and the cut glass and silver spoons had been brought out from the dark closet, and the dinner, after a deal of concern on the part of Becky, was pronounced ready at last, when, just as all were in readiness, the older ones were thrown into the wildest excitement by the appearance of their lodger of the previous night. He drove up in a sleigh drawn by a pair of reeking horses. But he was not alone—a lady and two children were with him. "He has come for the money."

"He never meant to give it to you, Uncle Darby," said Becky, wringing her hands and falling back to her husband's side.

"Oh! what will become of me?" moaned Uncle Darby, as he sank down heavily in his chair, pale and horror-stricken. And he sat there staring blankly at the door when the stranger entered it.

"Father, twenty-five years ago I left you and a cloud settled over your merry Christmas time. I have returned to make this Christmas Day and your whole life happy."

"My son! my son!" and the thin hands were raised imploringly, and in a moment the white head was bowed over the form that knelt as in days long past at his feet.

FUR FOR HEAD-GEAR.

IT IS THE NOVELTY IN MID-WINTER MILLINERY.

Russian Turbans Popular—The Broad Hat of the Czar's Kingdom Also in Style—Steel and Jet Still in Favor.

THE time, according to the calendar, for the mid-winter novelties in millinery to appear has arrived, and the novelties are with us in the shape of artistically mingled feathers and furs, flowers and velvet. The pronounced and distinguishing feature of the new headgear is fur. The Russian turban, illustrated at the head of the column, is one of the most stylish of the new midwinter shapes. The crown is of ecru brown cloth, exquisitely fine and soft, arranged in long soft folds. About the edge is a three-inch band of sea otter. In the back are long donkey ears of velvet of golden brown, carrying out the lighter color of the cloth crown, intermixed with those of otter faced with the velvet. Flat loops of velvet are arranged to fall from this cluster of trimmings on the hair.

The second illustration shows the Russian large hat, with its stiff brim bent V-shaped in the front and turned up in the back, giving it a piquant, tip tilted effect. The brim is of cloth

RUSSIAN HAT AND BROAD HAT.

in the shade known as Stanley brown, and is faced with velvet a shade darker. The medium crown is of sea otter. This hat is especially suited to the fresh face of a young girl.

The stiff-brim broad hat in the same illustration shows the new and now very popular combination of brown and gray.

The French toque holds its place in popular favor and appears in, if possible, prettier forms than ever before. As seen in the last illustration, one of these is in light gray velvet with the crown covered with a spider-web of jet, and, by the way, this spider-web of jet is one of the most popular Parisian novelties for crowns, and is particularly dainty and effective. Above the edge of this toque and below the crown is a twist of rich, dark seal-brown velvet. A cluster of parrot tulips in gray velvet, together with a donkey-ear bow, trims the back. The other toque is of a light and delicate shade of turquoise velvet with the crown covered with a spider-web of jet. About the edge is an astrakhan band, so placed as to have a soft, irregular appearance. The

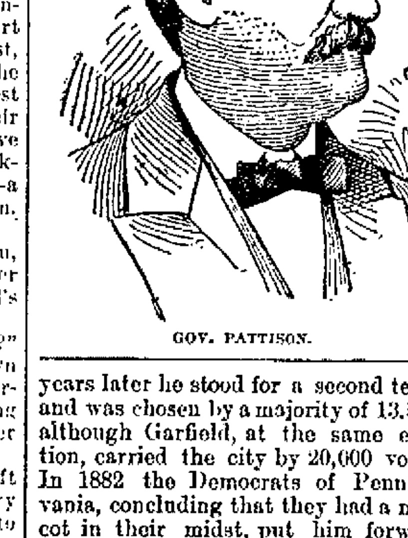
THE FRENCH TOQUE.

trimming is a cluster of ostrich tips the color of the velvet, with a black aigrette in the center and ears of the turquoise velvet lined with black.

A DEMOCRATIC MASCOT.

Governor-Elect Pattison, of Pennsylvania.

Robert Emory Pattison, since his second election to the Governorship of Pennsylvania, is looked upon by his friends in the Keystone State and elsewhere as the possible Democratic nominee for President in 1892. Governor Pattison's political career has been a remarkable one for so young a man. At 27 years of age he was nominated by the Democrats for Controller of the city of Philadelphia, and was elected by 2,000 majority. Two



GOV. PATTISON.

years later he stood for a second term, and was chosen by a majority of 13,500, although Garfield, at the same election, carried the city by 20,000 votes. In 1882 the Democrats of Pennsylvania, concluding that they had a mascot in their midst, put him forward for Governor, and he was elected over General Beaver by a plurality of 40,000. Pattison became Governor at 33 years, and was the youngest Executive the State ever had. In 1890 the Democrats again turned to their mascot, and named him a second time for Governor. Again he defeated his Republican opponent in one of the strongest Republican States in the Union. Governor Pattison is a bank President, but he is not a rich man. His salary is said to be $10,000 a year. He lives in his own house, a modest, brick dwelling which cost him $12,500. He is essentially domestic in his tastes, and is never at the club. Governor Pattison is a very handsome man. A fine, strong, swarthy face, a straight nose, dark-brown eyes, penetrating and expressive, black hair, plentiful and not often carefully combed, a firm but pleasant voice, decisive, aggressive jaws are features which one notes at once. His attire is plain, almost to simplicity; his manners are quiet, direct, wholesome, polite without effusiveness. Enter his door—there is no lackey, no cards are demanded. all comers may open and walk in—and he rises and advances to meet you, be you friend or stranger. He stands six feet two and weighs 210 pounds.

Something Wrong About His Dress.

Here is a case of absent-mindedness which caused the victim a good deal of embarrassment. although, as he afterward said in a melancholy tone, he might have fared worse than he did.

F—— was to attend a theater party one evening, and went home rather early to dress. He ascended the steps of the house where he was to join his friends only about half an hour before the time set for starting for the theater. When the maid opened the door he stepped in and, unbuttoning his overcoat, threw it back. She looked at him in a peculiar way, and then turned her head quickly, as if she were trying to hide a smile.

F—— happened to look down at his shoes, and then said hurriedly to the maid:

"Oh, you needn't announce me yet, and don't say anything about this; that's a good girl."

He hurried out again and rushed for a cab.

"Drive as rapidly as you can," he said breathlessly.

He startled his family by bustling into the house like a tempest.

"What's the matter, Will?" asked his mother; "you will be late, won't you?"

"What's the matter!" cried F——. "Look at me!" and he threw off his overcoat. He was in evening dress—that is, he supposed that he was. But when dressing he had put on, in a fit of absent-mindedness, a pair of light-checked trousers. The combination of evening dress as regards coat and waistcoat and immaculate shirt front and light-colored trousers was so ludicrous that F——'s brother simply roared with laughter. F——, however, had torn upstairs to dress himself properly. He was downstairs in a wink. His brother followed him out to the cab, and as the vehicle whisked away, F—— stuck his head out the window, and said:

"Great Scott, suppose I had gotten into that room full of people before I discovered how I was dressed."

He was a little late, but very contented to escape so lightly.—*New York Tribune.*

South Africa.

South Africa is the only country where, in a temperate climate and under climatic conditions admirably suited to both, the European and the negro are engaged in a struggle for the mastery and for occupation of the land, not by force of arms, but by the silent process of natural selection, which, if it does its work with less noise, is far more effectual. The conflict is going on, and civilization or barbarism depend on the result, which is not quite so certain as those who belong to the superior race could wish it to be.

In the West Indies the negro has won, but there the climate was against the Europeans. In the Southern States of America the same battle is going on, but there sixty millions of Europeans surround seven millions of negroes, and yet under these conditions the question is full of difficulty and danger.

In South Africa the proportion is reversed; half a million of Europeans live in the midst of three millions of black folk, who are backed up by a great reservoir of barbarism, from which re-enforcements in the shape of laborers are constantly being pushed down to the South to share the means of subsistence with the black, brown and white races already on the soil. The natives, under the peace kept by the Europeans, increase, apart from the immigration mentioned above, according to the evidence of statistics, far more rapidly than does the white population. They drift into and fill up the country in a silent way that can only be compared to the flowing of the tide.

A Stern Rebuke from the Bench.

"It surprises me to see a young man like you here," said a Texas judge to a fellow who had been brought before the police court for being drunk and disorderly the night before. "You filled yourself with an enemy that committed petit larceny on your brains."

"Very sorry, Judge."

"Now, here you are," continued the Court, in severe tones, "a young man of intelligence, with good clothes on, barring a grease spot on the elbow where you rested it in the lunch table soup. You doubtless have a mother and sisters who think a good deal more of you than I do."

"Family's all ri-right," whimpered the culprit.

"You've been sent to school and taught how to earn a good living. In return for all this you go whooping around the streets at midnight, tearing down signs and making an ass of yourself generally. Is that like the conduct of a reasonable creature?"

"No, Judge, it is not."

"Of course it ain't. Now I'm going to teach you a lesson, young man, and you will thank me for it some day. You needn't turn pale and whimper; that won't do you any good. Have you got any chewing tobacco about you?"

"Here's a bit of navy plug, your Honor."

"Thank you. Take my advice—chew more and drink less, as I do. You're discharged."

"What?"

"Discharged, I said, and the next time you are tempted to take a drink—Eh? Go out and join you? Well, I don't care if I do. Court stands adjourned till to morrow morning."—*Texas Siftings.*

PEOPLE have no idea of the fatal speed of express trains. It is a common thing to see their buffers bespattered with blood after a long and quick run. The noise of their approach disturbs the small birds from the hedgerows, and as they fly across the line along comes the thunderer at a speed of which they have no conception and dashes them to pieces.

Pioneer in Edge Tools.

There had been some progress in the colonies since 1731 in the secondary manufacture of their native iron. The chief branch of this industry was the conversion of bars into nail-rods at the "slitting mills," as they were called.

These nail-rods were dovetailed into many sorts of domestic manufactures. Small nails, indeed, could be imported cheaper than they could be made by hand, but ordinary nails and spikes were the common offwork of blacksmiths.

Old diaries show many days spent in nailmaking. Farmers, too, would employ their winter evenings in shaping rods into nails by the fireside. To supply the nail-rods there were, in 1650, two slitting mills in Middleboro, one in Hanover, one in Milton, and Massachusetts had one plating forge with a tilt hammer and one steel furnace.

With the tilt hammer iron bars would be worked into anchors and various forgings needed in shipbuilding. This was one of the industries which the British manufacturers were determined to destroy, and the act of 1750 prohibited the erection of slitting mills in the colonies.

The most conspicuous American iron worker in the eighteenth century was Hugh Orr, of Bridgeport. He was the pioneer in the fabrication of edge tools. He introduced the trip hammer, and the manufacture of scythes and axes followed.

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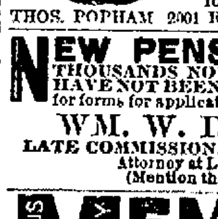

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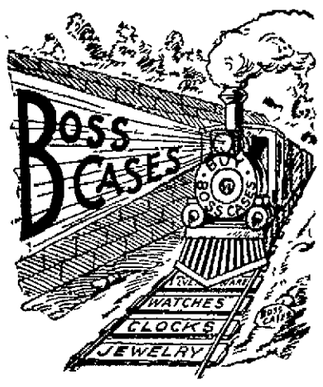

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Fort Wayne Sentinel.

SATURDAY, DEC. 20, 1890.

LOCAL NEWS.

Stephen D. Bond is about after a two weeks' illness.

The Concordia college has closed for a two weeks' vacation.

The Catholic knights will hold an annual election of officers to-morrow.

George Humphrey post, G. A. R., will have a regular meeting this evening.

Miss Cohen, of Webster street, will visit friends in Toledo during the holidays.

County Clerk D. W. Souder has returned from a brief business trip to the country.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. August Bandelier, of the corner of Gay and Wallace streets—son.

Dr. J. W. Younge will leave Sunday evening for northern Michigan, to be absent a week.

Will D. Gordon, in the shipping department of Coombs & Co., is off duty on account of sickness.

Joseph Aman, of Root & Co.'s store, is ill with lung fever at his home on East Washington street.

Mr. Senne, a student of the Concordia college, has gone to Brooklyn, N. Y., his home, to spend the holidays.

Charles A. Williams, late cashier of the Findlay, Ohio, National bank, is the guest of friends in the city.

Summit City division No. 12, Knights of Pythias, held a drill last evening, under command of Captain E. L. Siver.

Miss Lizzie Collins, teacher in the Clay school, will be the guest of her parents at Butler, Ind., during the holidays.

Dr. A. E. VanBuskirk is in receipt of a telegram announcing the death of Mrs. VanBuskirk's mother at Holmes county, Ohio.

Mrs. S. M. White, of Plymouth, Ind., arrived in the city yesterday to spend the holidays with her sister, Mrs. F. S. Smead, of South Wayne.

Richard Welch, traveling salesman for S. A. Maxwell & Co., Chicago, will spend the holidays with his mother and sister on East Superior street.

George W. Jones, of Olds' factory, was fined $10 and costs, amounting to $35 yesterday for wife desertion. The case was heard by Justice France.

Miss Bessie Gillette, of Holgate, Ohio, who is attending the public schools of this city, will spend the holidays at her home with her parents.

Miss Clara Currier, of 332 East Wayne street has returned from a two months' visit to Marion, Ind., where she was the guest of her sister Mrs. Dr. Eckart.

A force of workmen employed on a new M. E. parsonage at Decatur, by C. E. Bruns, of this city, have returned home, having completed the plumbing contract.

The Monroeville Breeze says: "Miss Lulu and Goldie, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Freidline, of Fort Wayne, are visiting their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Froidline near East Liberty."

Jack Dickson, for a number of years employed at Brookside farm as assistant to Superintendent McKay, has resigned his position and will remove to Sterling, Ill., where he will take charge of the Clark stock farm.

The choir of Emanuel's Lutheran church, conducted by Prof. D. Linderman, will have their rehearsal next Monday evening. The regular meeting occurs on Thursday, but it is changed on account of Christmas.

Mr. Nelson Hellsworth, of New Haven, who was supposed to have been lost in the Wasatch mountains of Utah, has been found and is now located in the Bingham mines, twenty-five miles southeast of Salt Lake City. His father says he is doing well and prospering.

The Indianapolis Sun says: "Editor N. R. Leonard, of the Fort Wayne Gazette, comes right out and says Gresham is the only man who can carry Indiana. The Gazette says another thing in the same sentence: 'If the Harrison newspaper syndicate wants to buy the Gazette, it must be getting a move on itself.'"

Miss Kate Abel, teacher in the Allen county schools of Washington township, is at her home on South Calhoun street for the holidays. The teachers of the county schools outside of the city will be given the same vacation. The city schools will not close until Wednesday afternoon and they will open again the first Monday after New Years.

The Portland Sun says: "Mr. James Geary, the popular museum man, of Fort Wayne, is making arrangements to give the people a first-class entertainment here about once a week during the winter, commencing sometime in January. His agent, Mr. A. Gump, was here Monday and secured Kikendall's hall for this purpose. Mr. Geary will give the people of Portland something that will be sure to please."

Lieutenant Hall, of the United States army, who was recently stationed here to take charge of the recruiting station for the enlisting of recruits from this district, will move his headquarters from the Pixley-Long block to the Bass block over the C. O. D. clothing store. The rooms to be vacated by him lie on the second floor to the front. They will be occupied at once by Hon. A. A. Chapin, late superior court judge, who will have his office there for the practice of law.

Julius Manth, the sewing machine agent, is quite ill.

C. D. Moyer, of Kendallville, Ind., was in the city this morning.

Miss Stewart, of West Jefferson street, entertained a party of friends last evening.

The Balmoral choir, consisting of nine people, left for Dayton, O., this morning.

Mrs. E. H. Montgomery, of Bluffton, is visiting her daughter, Miss Mamie Montgomery.

Miss Abdon has taken a temporary position as stenographer in the law office of Bell and Morris.

J. B. Fonner has resigned his position as stenographer for Bell & Morris, and is now in Chicago.

W. L. Scott and daughter, of Van Wert, enjoyed the Balmoral concert at the Temple last evening.

John Waldron, of Port Huron, Mich., has taken a position in the lunch room of John Cline, at 99 Calhoun street.

Lew Melshiemer, who left this city for Ashville, N. C., is now at Marion, in that state. He had an enjoyable trip.

John Muldoon, the painter, returned from Chicago to-day. He has been there several days on a business mission.

Harry Wise has returned from the state university at Bloomington, to be at home during the holidays. He is a student at the college.

Williard and Cheney, sons of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Knight, have returned from Purdue university to spend the holidays at their home on Spy Run avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Morganthaler will celebrate their twentieth wedding anniversary on New Year's eve at their West Wayne street home. It is their china wedding.

Miss Maggie Hamilton will establish a studio for the cultivation of art, on the Hamilton homestead property on East Lewis street. The building is now being placed in readiness.

Mr. and Mrs. John Forbing, who have been absent from the city on an eastern trip of several weeks' duration, will return on the 26th inst. They are visiting their daughter at Ada, Ohio.

Mrs. Hall, of Lansing, Mich., is a guest of the family of Professor Chester Lane, at their cheerful new home on Maple avenue, and she may decide to make this her future home. Mrs. Hall was formerly a teacher in the public schools of this city.

William Fry, the popular young driver of Eckart's wholesale wagon, has returned from Richmond, Ind., where he was visiting his uncle, Samuel C. Davis, a confectioner in business at that place. Mr. Davis was formerly a confectioner for H. H. Barous in this city.

For Christmas and New Years.
Citron Reduced 5c. Pound.

Best Leghorn Citron, 20c lb.
Orange and Lemon Peel, 18c lb.
New Shelled Almonds, 35c lb.
Valencia Raisins, 9c lb.
Seedless Raisins, 20c lb.
Zantee Currants, 8c lb.
New Mixed Nuts 15c quart.
Florida Oranges, 25 and 40c dozen.
California Malaga Grapes, 20c lb.

FRUIT HOUSE.

The Misses Josephine and Tracy Brossard entertained friends last Thursday evening in a very pleasant manner. The evening was spent in music, cards and social conversation.

See Ward's advertisement.

Our $1.25 gents' plush slippers are warranted to bring any decent young man to a proposal before New Year's or money refunded.
MASSACHUSETTS SHOE CO.

Foster's For Christmas Presents.

Vase Lamps, worth $4, for $1 90. Bisque Finished Vase Lamps, worth $5, for $2.25. Piano Lamps, with umbrella Shades, for $9, $10, $11, $13 and $15. Hanging Lamps and Banquet Lamps at great bargains.

Metal Placques, Framed Bronzes, Metal Vases, Onyx Top Tables, Foot Rests, Blacking Cases, Easels, Music Cabinets, Brass Stands, Shaving Cabinets, and many other fancy articles at prices lower than ever before.

Crrpet Sweepers, Smyrna Rugs, Fur Carriage Robes, &c., in our Carpet Department.

One thousand fancy Chairs for Christmas presents. Select your goods at once and have them laid by until Christmas.

Diamonds and Jewelry of all kinds at Trinkly & Scherzinger's.

The Taylor Bros. Piano company offer a limited number of first class upright pianos at a large reduction from regular prices.

Wives, buy your husband a pair of these nobby chenille or plush slippers for one dollar and he won't say a word about tough beefsteak for six months.
MASSACHUSETTS SHOE CO.

Mistletoe for Kissing Purposes.

No English lady considers her home decorations for Christmas complete, until a little sprig of Mistletoe, no matter how small, is hung over one of the doors on the inside of the house. Upon this day, "if a gentleman discovers a lady standing under the Mistletoe, he has a right to kiss her." Mistletoe can be found at Geo. W. Doswell's flower stand, No. 85 Calhoun street.

A Dollar Book for 35c.

The Household Cook Book and Encyclopedia of Practical Receipts. Economical, reliable and excellent. Bound in oil cloth, 35c. Cloth bound books, 20c, some that dry goods stores ask 25c for. Dore Bible Galley, Dante's Inferno, etc., at Katt's, cheapest Book Store in the city.

ALL LAMPS WORTH BUYING For a Christmas Gift, at Ward's China Store, will be sold less 20 per cent. until after Christmas. First-class stand lamp, $1.75; Hanging lamp the cheapest and best, at Ward's, No. 8, West Columbia street. 20 2t

I. O. O. F Notice.

All members of Harmony Lodge No. 19, I. O. O. F., are requested to meet at Harmony lodge hall Sunday, December 21st, at 12 o'clock m. sharp, to attend the funeral of our late brother, S. D. Miller. GEO. W. DOSWELL, N. G.
J. H. PAYNE, Recording Secretary.

Grand Opening Reception.

Mr. Harry Harrison announces that he will entertain his friends and callers at his Rich hotel house of call Saturday evening next. There will be luncheon and other features of a welcome nature.

Mr. Harrison is handsomely established and can show one of the neatest public houses in the state. 18 3t

A box of Gruber's cigars makes a nice present. 18-20 22

Get a box of Gruber's cigars for a Christmas present. 18 20 22

Largest and Finest display of Gents' toilet slippers ever shown in Northern Indiana.

138 pairs Gents' fancy slippers, 35 cts.

181 pairs Gents' embroidered slippers, 50 cts.

98 pairs Gents' imitation alligator slippers, 60 cts.

167 pairs Gents' velvet embroidered slippers. 67 cts.

222 pairs Gents's velvet embroidered slippers, 75 cts.

307 pairs Gents' plush embroidered slippers, $1.00.

187 pairs Gents' chenille embroidered slippers, $1.25.

More then 80 different patterns.
MASSACHUSETTS SHOE CO.,
26 Calhoun street.

Notice.

Annual meeting of the Fort Wayne-Decatur gravel road company will be called January 2, '91, 2 p. m., at Wayne hotel. Important business and election of officers.
19-3t GOTT HALLER, Sec'y.

Grand Opening

Saturday evening, Dec. 20, at Neiman's place, corner Third and Wells streets. Good music and plenty of free lunch on hand. Everybody invited. 18 19 20.

At M. App's you can find the most reliable and cheapest footwear in the city. 106 Calhoun street. wed fri-sat tf.

Smoke the Clara Morris cigar. For sale at Wagner's drug store. 18 1m

Take the Nickel Plate if you want to go to Chicago during holiday week. Fare for round trip only $4 45, good to return including Jan. 3, 1891. 19-tf

CAUTION.

Ladies intending to buy gents' slippers at the Massachusetts Shoe company should take with them only the exact change they intend to spend, for they will find goods so cheap and beautiful they are sure to go home with empty pocket books.

Undoubtedly C. L. Hill has the highest grade of pianos in the city, he is receiving pianos daily. You would do well to see him and look through his large stock of very high grade of instruments at a very low price on easy terms. 19 2t

LOOK AT THESE FIGURES!

And don't get mad because you have already bought.

TO MEASURE.

Men's Calf Congress, Cork Sole,	$4.00
Men's Calf Lace, Cork Sole,	$4.00
Men's satin calf Cong., cork sole,	$3.50
Men's satin calf Lace, cork sole,	$3 50

Our Mail Carrier's Shoe, stamped Mail on bottom. Our Policeman Shoe, Stamped Police on bottom are Simply perfect. We make them in any style wanted—Cong Bal. Button or Alexis To be seen and measure taken at A. Foellinger s, 15 West Main street, formerly Root & Co, cloak department We warrant everything we make.

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Special sales for
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China Store, No. 8 West Columbia.
Royal Dresden,
Royal Doulton,
Royal Worcester,
Also Capeland, Vienna,
Carlesbad in ornament
And Tea and Dinner sets,
1847 Roger Bros. Silverware,
Knives, Forks and Spoons.
Chas. F. Haveland China
Tea and Dinner sets.
American and English
Tea, Dinner and Chamber sets.
Water set, Smoking set,
Motto Cups and Saucers,
Piano Hanging Lamps,
Hundreds of articles for
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Sign—Big Iron Dog.

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I Guarantee Satisfaction or Money Refunded,

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Finest Assortment of Holiday Goods!

Toilet Sets, Manicure Sets,

Collar and Cuff Boxes,
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Largest Assortment of Perfumes in the city.

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Five thousand Books, cloth bound, by leading authors, all 25c per volume; 3,000 Juvenile Books, at 5, 10, 15, 19, 25 and 39c.

An immense variety of all kinds of Linen and China Silk, Initial Handkerchiefs at all the most popular prices.

Big display of Fancy China Silks, Ornaments, Fringes and Tassels for all kinds of Fancy Work.

Ladies' and Gents' Gloves lined and not lined, Gents' Silk Mufflers, etc.

The large number of Wraps and Cloaks we have sold this season is evidence that our prices are popular and the lowest in the city.

We always take the lead in CUTTING PRICES.

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Five hundred Cloth-Bound Books at 25 cents each, all miscellaneous, and Sets of Books way down
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HENRY C. GRAFFE,

Southwest corner of Calhoun and Columbia Streets,

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Good valv in every purchase of us, and everything in the line is first-class.

The list we present is not at all representative but is offered as suggestive.

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In this Department you will find a most Elegant Display of Fine Goods consisting of

SEVRES' VASES, MARBLE BUSTS, BISQUE AND SILVER BRONZES, BISQUE STATUARY, ROYAL WORCHESTER, CANDELABRAS,

Wood, Brass, Porcelain and Mexican Pedestals,

Brass Onyx Top Tables, Brass Cabinets, Bonn Pottery, Piano and Table Lamps, Fine Cut Glass, Onyx and Marble Clocks.

This is a line of goods that has never before been shown it this city, and we extend to you an invitation to

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OPEN EVENINGS. Goods selected now can be stored with us until wanted.

A Great Variety of

Seth Thomas Clocks!

All Sizes and Styles.

Spectacles and Eye Glasses.

A perfect fit in the above goods is guaranteed.

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TEA SETS,

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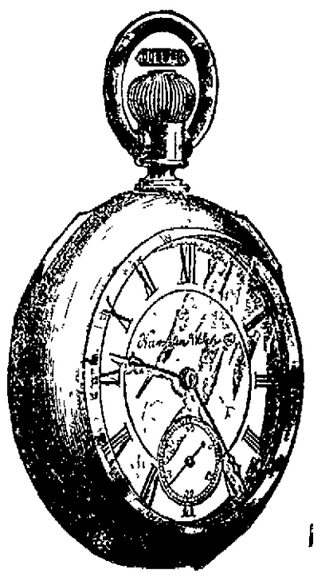
JEWEL CASES, Etc.



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The Largest and Most Elegant Stock ever shown in the city, at prices That will bear comparison. Call and examine.

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Joseph Loth & Co., manufacturers of the "Fair and Square" brand of all-silk ribbons, are always conservative in their production, fully supplying trade without demoralizing it. Consequently, their goods always sell well and their standard character in quality is strictly maintained.

You can find a large assortment of the above named Ribbons at our store.

From all quarters we receive a report that tan, mode and gray shades in kid gloves are strong in their popularity.

With a winter which promises to be one of dress, fashion and gayety in all sections of the country, kid gloves will be in large demand for consumption, and trade of all kinds has prepared for this state of affairs to an extent that will prevent any failure of the most varied supply.

Our Line of

KID GLOVES

Cannot be equalled in the city.

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—AND—

COMPANY.

Our Store Will be Open Every Evening until Christmas.

QUICKLY SELL.

He who at small profits sells, sells quickly. He who quickly sells, sells much. And he who much at a small profit quickly sells, earns much. These axioms have been followed by one of the most, if not the most, prosperous houses in the city. We too shall follow those principles so necessary to every live business house. Our immense room running from Court to Clinton streets is filled. On Court street, our immense line of China, China Novelties and Bric-a-brac. On the Clinton side we show a handsome line of toys, notions, dolls, albums, baskets and a full line of 5 and 10 cent goods. Something for everybody. Visit us and see if we are worthy of a part of your patronage. Our Motto—"Quick Sales, Small Profit."

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If you dont't known what to buy for Christmas gifts go to

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and take a glance over the following items we mention:

1A	Silk Umbrella,	or
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"	Handkerchief,	"
"	Throw,	"
"	Kid Gloves,	"
"	Table Cover,	"
"	Pair Towels,	"
"	Tidy,	"
"	Gentleman's Night Shirt.	"
"	Worsted Dress,	"
"	Silk Dress,	"
"	Tea Gown,	"
"	Plush Jacket,	"
"	Plush Sacque;	"
"	Cloth Jacket,	"
"	Children's Coat,	"
"	Shawl,	"
"	Skirt,	"
"	Set of Furs,	"
"	Smyrna Rug,	"
"	Lace Curtain,	"
"	chenille curtain,	"

Hundreds of other things which your eyes may rest upon if you enter our store.

Louis Wolf & Co.,

54 Calhoun St.

Fort Wayne, Ind.

LICKED UP BY FIRE.

The Business Portion of a Missouri Town Destroyed--Five Horses Cremated at St. Louis.

MILLARD, Mo., Dec. 20.—The business portion of this village, consisting of three stores, post office, town hall, drug store and three dwellings, was destroyed by fire last night. The loss will reach $20,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 20.—Late last night fire destroyed the stable of Edward Stuckman, at 431 St. Louis avenue. Five horses were cremated. A man named McDermott, who was supposed to be in the stable at the time, is missing, and probably burned to death.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—The round house and three locomotives belonging to the North Shore division of the Long Island railroad, at Whitestone, were entirely destroyed by fire this morning. The loss to the company is about $25,000.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Dec. 20.—A serious conflagration occurred at 3 o'clock yesterday morning in Boonsville, Warwick county, involving a loss of $50,000. The following were burned out: Fay & Sons, produce merchants; Frank DeForrest, notions; Justice Youngblood, law office; James' feed store and Harrison & Houston, saloonkeepers. The fire is supposed to have been of incendiary origin.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 20.—Fire started in the annex of the union depot last night and consumed the store room of the Pullman Palace Car company and the union depot offices of the Missouri Pacific. The damage to valuable papers is considerable. The pecuniary loss is about $6,000, insured.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—A fire this morning on the sixth floor of No. 156 Williams street, caused the following loss: A. E. Langbein, book binder, $3,000; Peter DeBeun, printer, $500; Hard and Parsons, stationer, $5,000; Bernard Sonnell & Co., plumbers' supplies, $3,000. The building was damaged $1,000.

THE REDS ARE QUIET.

Nothing of a Startling Nature Concerning the Indian Troubles.

RAPID CITY, S. D., Dec. 20.—Gen. Miles has received advices from Gen. Brooke that 500 friendly Indians left Pine Ridge yesterday to attempt to bring in the hostiles. Despatches from Lieutenant Colonel Drum at Fort Yates, announces that the Indians there are quiet. Thirty-nine of Sitting Bull's Indians, who left the agency on Monday, have sent in word that they will return. This leaves not over seventy on the reservation.

General Miles says that no advance would be made until the result of the Pine Ridge embassy is known. Big Foot and Hump have surrendered and returned to the agency. No Indians except the band mentioned are now going to the hostiles, and the cordon is constantly lightening.

ARKANSAS CITY, Kan., Dec. 20.—Mr. Snyder, who is among the Kickapoo Indians in Indian territory, says that 1,000 Kickapoo warriors have had a dance near the eastern line of Oklahoma and that for three days and nights they have had their ponies ready for action. They are well armed and the settlers are frightened.

DARING BURGLARY.

Bold Thieves Steal $3,000 Worth of Silks From a Chicago Store.

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—A novel and daring burglary, which netted the perpetrators over $3,000 in silks and fine imported linens, was committed last night in the building at 276 Fifth avenue, in the heart of the city. The burglars, instead of resorting to the usual method of forcing a door or a transom, cut a hole in the foundation wall large enough to admit the passage of a man, and through this, made their way into the store of McNellis & Campbell. Only the finest silks and linens were carried away and what they left of these, they probably could not handle for lack of room in the express wagon they used to make the daring job a success. There is a passage between the looted store and the adjoining store, which is closed by a fence. The fence prevented anybody passing the spot from seeing the burglars during the five or six hours it took them to cut through three feet of solid masonry. The police are hunting high and low for them, and for the stolen goods, but have not obtained a single clew to either.

KILLED IN A WRECK.

The Fireman and Brakeman Meet Death at Their Post.

ROANOKE, Va., Dec. 20.—A freight train was wrecked on the Shennandoah Valley, two miles east of Buchanan, yesterday. C. H. Atwood, fireman, and Edward Houston, a brakeman, were killed. The wreck was caused by the train striking an immense boulder which had rolled upon the track.

ALTOONA, Pa., Dec. 20.—By a cave-in at the old Portage tunnel, last night, a number of Italian laborers were burried, a negro had his leg taken off and a number of others were severely injured.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 20.—The report that James H. Stevenson, of the Bound Brook railroad, who was struck by a train Thursday night, was dead, is erroneous. Mr. Stevenson is at the hospital, where strong hopes are entertained for his ultimate recovery.

LOOKS BAD.

The Birmingham Strike May Result in Bloodshed.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 20.—At Coalburg mines yesterday, 100 of the striking miners signed an agreement to withdraw from the union, and return to work. That night a party of them was fired upon, and yesterday morning the vicinity of the mines was placarded with notices threatening death to all men who returned to work. Officers are guarding the men at work.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Superintendent Walmsley, of the Clark thread mills, who, the strikers claim, has treated them tyrannically, was hanged in effigy yesterday in Newark by the strikers.

THE DAY OF REST.

'Come and Worship With Us" is the Invitation of Our City Pastors.

Services as usual at the Second Baptist church, on Harrison street, W. C. T. U. building.

Rev. J. A. Anderson, of Huntington, will preach at the Church of God morning and evening.

On account of the funeral of Rev. S. D. Miller, the Sunday school of Trinity M. E. church will be postponed till 3 p. m.

Regular services at the Second Presbyterian church to-morrow at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12 m.

Services at the Wayne Street M. E. church at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Preaching by the pastor morning and evening. Sunday school 2:15 p. m.

Services at the Grace Reformed church to-morrow at 10:30 and 7:30. In the evening the pastor begins a series of sermons on "Future Punishment."

The usual services will be held at Trinity M. E. church, Sunday morning and evening by the pastor. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. N. D. Shackelford, pastor.

Trinity Episcopal church, Rev. A. W. Seabrease, Rector. Morning service at 10:45; evening service at 7:30; Sunday school at 2:30 a. m. Men's Bible class at 9:45 a. m.

Remember the special sermon of Pastor Northrop to the hundreds of couples he has married the past eight or nine years. Time, 10:30 a. m. to-morrow. Come, sure!

St. Paul M. E. church: Preaching by the pastor, Rev. M. C. Cooper at 10:30 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 12 o'clock and young people's meeting at 6:30 p. m.

John Merritte Driver.—10:45 a. m., "Things to be Pondered Over at Christmas Tide," 7:30 p. m., "The Congregation of the Future." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., and Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.

At the First Presbyterian church Rev. S. D. Hillman, of Taylor university, will preach to-morrow morning at 10:45. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Christian endeavor at 6:30 p. m. No evening services.

Berry Street M. E. church.—Preaching at 10:30 a. m. by the pastor. At 7 p. m. Rev. H. B. Fry, of Taylor university, will preach. Sunday school at 2:15 p. m. Young people's meeting 6:30 p. m.

At 3:30 o'clock, standard time, at the Railroad Y. M. C. A. rooms, the men's meeting will be held as usual. Good music has been arranged for, and you are invited to come and help to "Make the Welkin ring."

Pastor Sims invites all the members to be present at morning services to-morrow. Evening theme, the eighth sermon in the series on Revelations. Subject, "The Angels in the River Euphrates." No one can afford to miss the evening service.

In the Third Presbyterian church, Rev. J. M. Boggs will preach at 10:30 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Themes: "The Insufficiency of the O. T. sacrifices," and "Preparation for Christ No. 3—The Jews." Sabbath school at 2 p. m. C. E. prayer meeting at 7 p. M.

All members and friends of Plymouth Congregational church are requested to bring their children with them to the morning service, as the pastor will preach upon "God's Christmas Gift." Young men's meeting at 10:15, half an hour before the regular service. Sunday school at 12 m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:45, and theme of evening sermon: "How Shall I Know Whether I am a Christian."

Chicago Markets.

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Wheat: Dec., 91½; Jan., 92; May, $1. Corn: Jan. 51½; May, 53½. Oats: May, 45. Pork: Jan., $9.95; May, $10.97½. Lard: Jan., $5.75; May, $5.85. Ribs: Jan., $4.90; May, $5.57½.

Ira McGee, a printer, who worked in this city for several years arrived to-day from Chicago, where he is established in the real estate business, with a Mr. Johnstone, their headquarters being in the Inter-Ocean building. Mr. McGee appears to be enjoying prosperity.

Yesterday was the seventy-third birthday of J. Foellinger, sr. He is one of the pioneers of Fort Wayne.

THE JENNEY CHAINED.

A Levy on Account of Delinquent Taxes Stops Operations of the Indianapolis Company.

The Indianapolis Journal of this morning has the following: "The Jenney Electric Light company, of West Indianapolis, was compelled to shut down yesterday on account of a levy that was made upon the plant for $531 delinquent taxes. Frank Miller, of the county treasurer's office, notified the company at Fort Wayne of the bill against the delinquent, but was referred to parties of this city. Numerous letters from the county treasurer's office were sent to those persons, but no attention was paid to them, and yesterday Mr. Miller sent deputies Tolan and Myres to the company's office in West Indianapolis. They levied on one of the dynamos, and, in order to secure payment, chained it to the floor and brought away the leather belt. "We have reached that point where we are tired of trifling," said Mr. Miller yesterday. "If the persons responsible or any of the company unlocks that chain before the taxes are paid we will prosecute them immediately."

"A few weeks ago the plant was purchased from the Jenny company, at Fort Wayne, by Marmon and Perry. There is no disposition to evade paying the taxes, but it has been the wish to get a reduction. Mr. Perry stated last night that while his company now owns the plant the taxes are to be paid by the former owners. He has been waiting authority from them to pay the amount, and they have been trying for a reduction on the taxes due. It is probable the matter will be settled to-day or to-morrow, but in the meantime West Indianapolis will be as the town was last night, without electric light."

THE BALMORAL CHOIR.

An Excellent Entertainment Given By Them Last Night.

The concert given last night at the Masonic Temple by the Balmoral choir pleased the large audience present and was one of the best entertainments of that character ever given in this city. The program was made up of Scottish songs, with instrumental music on the violin and piano, and all the selections rendered struck a popular chord in the hearts of the hearers that caused them to be warmly applauded. The entertainment was given under the auspices of the Caledonian club, and the choir was brought here by Hon. J. B. White, who guaranteed that the society should not be the losers. The concert was a success and Captain White and the Caledonians deserve praise for having given our citizens such a pleasant entertainment.

THE BASS WORKS

Are Part Owners of the Indianapolis Car Works.

That the Indianapolis car works were sold to Emil Pollock for the ridiculous sum of $52,500 Thursday afternoon at Indianapolis astonished a great many people, and yesterday afternoon the bid on it was voluntarily raised to $70,000, and the sale was confirmed by the court.

The new owners are the Black & Pollock iron works of Cincinnati, the Bass foundry and machine works of Fort Wayne, the Central iron and steel company of Brazil, the Rogers, Brown & Co. iron works of Cincinnati, and the Ross iron works of Chattanooga. The new owners represent several million dollars' capital and, according to Mr. Pollock, intend to invest more money in the plant and get the works in running order as soon as possible.

THE EMMETTS.

This Dramatic Club to Give a New Play--A Business Meeting.

At a regular meeting of the "Emmett club" last night, the club decided to place electric lights in the exhibition hall of Library hall, and voted to cave it as fine as the company can make it. Adding to this the club have finally arranged their new gymnasium and the committee is at work arranging a set of rules governing it. Finally all things were put in order for the second appearance of "The Pluribus" on the evening of December 30, for the benefit of the poor. The society will also give another play on the evening of Shrove Tuesday, in February. The title of this piece is "Deuuces Ycslaf," and the production promises some laughable developements.

Clubs Consolidate.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—The two New York ball clubs were consolidated yesterday. The final papers were signed by John B. Day and J. W. Spaulding at the latter's office last night. The players' league men signed Thursday. This settles the base ball war in New York.

Indicted for Murder.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 20.—The grand jury has reported an indictment charging Sarah Ann McMullen with murder in the first degree for causing the death of Nellie Conners by throwing her from a bridge at Akron.

Vicar General Dead.

TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 20.—Very Rev. Vicar General Laurent, a prominent Roman Catholic ecclesiastic, died suddenly last night from heart failure.

Charles Knight is at Chicago.

FROM A HOUSE TOP.

Joshua Woods Goes Tumbling Down and Narrowly Escapes With His Life.

About 10 o'clock this morning Joshua Woods, a workman in the employ of Wilding & Son, while at work on the roof of Sim Maburin's new residence on South Fairfield avenue, lost his footing on the scaffold and fell to the ground, a distance of nearly twenty-five feet. He was picked up in an insensible condition and conveyed to his home, No. 27 Lillie street, where Dr. Schilling attended him. The man suffered internal injuries, which may prove fatal. His condition will be a matter of doubt until about twenty-four hours have elapsed. Strange to say there were no bones fractured. Mr. Woods has a wife but no children.

VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

An Insurance Company Quits Business--A $7,000 Mortgage.

The directors of the Central Mutual Fire Insurance company, of this city, have decided to discontinue business and will go into voluntary liquidation. The assets of the company are sufficient to pay all losses. The depression in business is greatly increasing the moral hazard of insurance and fires are becoming so alarmingly frequent that the officers of the Central have decided to quit before their assets become impaired. Mr. W. J. Vesey will act as receiver.

COURT COTTINGS.

Albert Baker, through his attorney, Homer C. Hartman, enters suit in the circuit court against George and Rosey Meyers and Jacob Aller, to foreclose a mortgage; demand $7,000.

Max Kowianski vs. George D. Chneck. Jury verdict in favor of the defendent.

Charles Blaine sues John Amstutz for $100 on account. C. W. Edsall is attorney.

Mary D. Sullivan sues Cassius Duley et al., for $200 on a note and chattel mortgage. W. P. Breen is attorney for the plaintiff.

Ernest H. Hilgeman sues Adam Popp et al., on a foreclosure and mechanics lien. F. W. Kuhne is counsel for the plaintiff.

A. C. Beaver et al., sues Francis Wilkinson et al., for $400 on account and mechanics' lien. Swayne & Dougherty are attorneys.

The case of George Wilhelm against Acworth & Diman Carpenter, for street assessment, was dismissed in the superior court to-day and the costs paid.

Robert B. Shirley has filed his bond as administrator of the estate of Mary Boswell, deceased.

J. J. Rehling has qualified as justice of the peace at Sheldon.

The American Strawboard company, through their attorneys, Norris & Barrett, enter suit in the superior court against Samuel S. and Max B. Fisher for $250 on account.

The last will of Daniel Henry, of Sheldon, this county, was entered to probate to-day. The farming lands and other property is bequeathed to his sons, William H., John A., Samuel R. and Aaron. The sum of $200 is given to each of the sons, John and Samuel.

Josephine Merz was fined $5 and costs by Justice France to-day, for living in a house of ill fame at 74 Walton avenue. Fred Dayton was fined for frequenting the same place.

STORMONT'S APPEAL.

A Strong Effort to Increase the Membership of the Grand Army.

General R. Stormont, department commander of the G. A. R., has issued a circular urging that every man who wore the blue and stood up in the defense of the old flag, should so live as to be thought worthy of the respect and honor of his surviving comrades, and that every such man should be in the ranks of the Grand Army of the Republic. He says it is a duty that every soldier owes to himself, to humanity and his country. In the course of his argument he says: "The Grand Army extends to all soldiers who are yet outside of the organization a most cordial and earnest invitation to "fall in." The day is far spent and we are nearing our final camping ground. Let us close up our ranks and keep the touch of elbows as we march down the hill together." The various posts in this city have received circulars and they will at once begin to bring outsiders into the fold.

Stanley Attached.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 20.—Mr. Stanley had his box receipts attached, and the party must be supplied with money before it can proceed.

Miss Mary Cass, who has been acting in the capacity of domestic in the household of G. J. Henkenius, at 71 St. Mary's avenue, died at the latter's residence, this morning of typhoid fever. Age 16 years. The deceased was the grand-daughter of Indian Chief Godfrey.

Willard Lucas, a teacher in the Allen county schools at New Haven, is under arrest on the charge of cruelly beating a boy pupil. He claims the lad was incorrigible and needed a licking. Newton D. Doughman will be the legal counsel for Mr. Lucas.

LOCAL ITEMS.

E. R. Sweet has entered into the employ of Louis Diether & Co.

James Healy, a plumber of Indianapolis, is the guest of James Madden.

The condition of Officer John Kennelly and Kuhns is unchanged to-day.

The leading characters in the "Clemenceau Case" are registered at the Wayne.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Judy, of Brackenridge street, is quite ill.

S. Banard, of 88 West Superior street, has been laid up for the past week with a bad cut.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Dreibelbiss will take up their residence at 189 West DeWald street.

Miss Louise Raquet was presented with a piano from her mother for a birthday present.

Mrs. Sadie S. Rhodes left to-day for Chicago, to spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Gus Schwartz has returned to her home at Andrews, Ind., after a visit with friends in the city.

Mrs. Isadore Kinkley, of West DeWald street, is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Cochrane, of Springfield, O.

The funeral of Miss Delia McMaken will take place from Berry street Methodist church at 1 o'clock to-morrow.

Miss Cora Lipsett, of Lima, O., who has been visiting Mrs. J. P. Jackson, of 16 DeWald street, has returned home.

John Ahlers has been accepted at the insane hospital at Richmond and Sheriff Viberg will take him there next Monday.

Mrs. Wilbur M. Ruth and daughter, of Milwaukee, Wis., have come to enjoy the holidays with parents and friends at 64 East Jefferson street.

Chas. Olds, Russell Viberg and Willard and Cheney Knight, students at Purdue university, are in the city for their holiday vacation.

Master George, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Dick, of 89 Butler street, is quite sick and the prospects for a happy Christmas are rather gloomy.

Mrs. Gorman, who underwent a difficult surgical operation, was able to leave the St. Joe hospital to-day. She left for her home near Leo, this county.

The funeral service of Rev. S. D. Miller, will take place at Wayne street M. E. church at 1:30 p. m. to-morrow, Revs. Shackelford and Eldridge officiating.

George LaDuke was arrested by Officer Stoll to-day. He had in his possession a lot of gents' furnishing goods, ladies wear, etc. He is held on suspicion.

The Misses Agnes Seabrease and Connie Wilder, who have been attending school at Kamper Hall, Ill., are spending their holiday vacation at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fish, of Elkhart, Ind., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fischer, of West Creighton avenue. They came to attend the funeral of Mrs. Fish's sister-in-law, Mrs. W. T. Abbott.

Edward Holmke, son of the Calhoun street shoe dealer, has been promoted to the position of foreman in the department for setting up furniture at the Pape Furniture store on East Berry street.

Joseph Morgan, of the Fort Wayne road, received a telegram this morning announcing the sudden illness of his wife at Plymouth. He left on the first train for her bedside, accompanied by his mother.

Charles Tilford, who has during the past few years driven spirited horses for Mason Long's "Pilgrims," and also the Wizard Oil party, is at home here again and temporarily doing duty as driver for the American express company.

On New Years' eve, Friendship lodge, No. 70, of the National association of machinists, will give a ball at Standard hall. The committee on arrangements consists of the following gentlemen: W. Clark, W. Shultz and A. Kinnaird.

Will E. Besson, of Winchester, quartermaster of the Indiana division, Sons of Veterans, who was in the city to attend the ball given by that organization, returned home this morning. While here he was the guest of E. H. Bookwalter.

George Thain, formerly a barber on Calhoun street, where now Gloeckle and Brownsul now conduct the same business, has arrived from Cincinnati, where he is educating himself to become a physician. He will remain during the holidays.

J. V. Reul, manager of the Indiana Installment company, has placed a number of new canvassers in the field. They are Messrs. Cox, Staunton, Hermadorfer, Heinman, McKinley and Herring. This company now occupies handsome and convenient quarters on Calhoun street.

Julius Stnormer has returned from Purdue university to visit at his home, 108 Maumee avenue, during the holidays. Mr. Stnormer was for a year or more a clerk in Klinkenberg & Detzer's drug store. He is taking a two years course in pharmacy at Purdue, and this is his first year.

WILL RE-ESTABLISH

The Old Fort Pulley Works on a Larger Scale--Secretary Dreibelbiss Returns.

It was learned on reliable authority to-day that the contract will soon be let for brick buildings to be used as a manufactory by the Old Fort Pulley works, which will be re-established on a larger scale. It has already been made public that the litigation has been dismissed by Francis A. Lomont, president of the company, and patentee of the wooden pulley manufactured, selling his half interest to James W. Wilding, through Robert L. Romy. The affairs of this company have been effectually "lifted" from a state of chaos, and are now on a sound financial footing. John Dreibelbiss, the secretary and treasurer of the company, and practically its founder, has just returned from Evansville, where he was under the care of an eminent physician for shattered health, suffered by him on account of his ceaseless efforts to keep the business afloat under great obstacles. He is still in a weak and almost helpless condition at his home on Holman street, but it is hoped he will soon be able to resume his official duties under a lightened burden. It is semi-officially announced that James W. Wilding will be appointed general manager of the plant, which is substantiated by feeling the sentiment of the different stockholders. The wooden pulley business will be prominent among the industries of Fort Wayne.

LOOKS DUBIOUS.

The City Will Probably Have to Pay for the Use of Certain Patents.

The fire commissioners, consisting of Councilmen Ely, Cran, Scheid and the mayor, held a meeting at the council chamber last night for the purpose of discussing certain demands made by I. N. Walker, of Indianapolis. The demand is made that the city pay to Mr. Walker, or his syndicate, the sum of $3,500 for the use of certain apparatus in the fire engine houses, this apparatus having been found to be infringements upon patents held by Walker which date back to 1873-5 6. Mr. Walker is represented by Hon. J. H. Rice, ex-auditor of state, who met with the commissioners last night. He showed testimony of the case in litigation against Terre Haute, which city had to pay high for using the same patent. Indianapolis, also using the patent, rather than go to law, compromised. Mr. Rice stated last night that if the city of Fort Wayne will not meet the demands, a case in court for a much higher sum will be instituted. It is learned on good authority that the city will compromise the matter, but whether for the amount asked for, or less, cannot be ascertained. A report will be made at the next meeting of the council.

TURNERS TO THE FRONT.

A Popular Society of Athletes Improve their Club Rooms.

The Fort Wayne Turnverein have made a nice addition to their club rooms and gymnasium in Arion hall, and are about to enter upon the winter campaign with a more flattering prospect than ever before. The society numbers seventy members and the regular turner evenings are Monday and Thursday. Henry Niemeyer is the master turner and directs all of the drills. The public will be treated to an entertainment by the society early in February.

Death Caused by a Fall.

Drs. McCaskey, McCullough and Rauch to day held a post mortem examination over the late Rev. S. D. Miller, and found a blood-clot in the brain, indicating that death was caused by the recent fall sustained by the deceased.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—For Indiana: Rain, southerly winds; warmer.

Yesterday afternoon, the "Literary Record" a weekly paper, published by the members of the commercial class of the Brothers' school, and edited this year by Mrs. George Litot and Frank Mohr, started upon its sixth year. In its editorial columns we noticed the announcement that hereafter it will be published weekly, instead of monthly as formerly. This gives indication of earnestness and zeal in the work of the young editors and shows a determination to make it more popular than ever this year.

Lottie, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. LeMay, was run over by a wagon yesterday about noon while going home from school, and she suffered a sprained ankle which rendered her helpless. The girl was conveyed to her home, corner of Washington and Clinton street where she is under the doctor's care. Miss Lottie is among the list of unfortunates who will not skip around a Christmas tree.

The condition of the venerable Samuel Hinton, who was recently injured by being run over, is much worse, and his death is momentarily expected. He is under the care of William Boswell, a young man who was at one time in the drug business, but who is studying to become a nurse. Mr. Hinton is the father of John Hinton, the restaurateur, and he is now at his home on Baker street.

ADVICE TO SANTA CLAUS.

UNDER the brow of the mountain
Nestles a quaint little town,
Into whose old-fashioned chimneys,
Mossy, and broken, and brown,
Santa Claus, dear old marauder,
Christmas Eve always comes down.

Fleet are his mythical reindeer,
Swift, as though gifted with wings,
Bearing their bountiful burden
Of the most beautiful things,
Gathered from earth and from ocean,
That the dear saint always brings.

Yet, though he loves all the children,
Some of them must be his pets;
There are those, orphaned and lonely,
He almost always forgets,
Whose little stockings are empty,
Whose hearts are filled with regrets.

Santa Claus, I always fancied
You were excessively nice;
That your ideas were quite perfect,
And your kind heart beyond price;
If so, 'twill surely not pain you
To take a woman's advice.

Seek first the poor little wee ones,
Loveless, and lone, and distressed;
Fill up their stockings with treasures,
Gather their thanks to your breast,
Then we will crown you King Christmas,
Of all kings dearest and best.

JONAS' XMAS PRESENT.

BY ISABEL HOLMES MASON.

THE lights of the little church on the hillside shining invitingly in the gloom, made the semi-circular grove behind it look dark shadowy on that Christmas Eve. The pines whispered, and the spruce and fir trees nodded confidentially toward the lighted windows, for a chosen member of their family stood inside the church, the "observed of all observers," ready to shower its Christmas fruitage presently upon the expectant hearts and hands of the gathering.

All Millville was out, even to blind Joe, who could feel the Christmas gladness even if he could not see it, and who was sure also of a goodly number of presents. There were the youth and "small fry" of both sexes, the blacksmith, miller, grocer and doctor, and, not least, the minister and his bride of three months, a pretty little brown-eyed creature sitting in a front pew beside her husband, her radiant countenance crossed now and then by a shade of anxiety as she glanced down the aisle at the stern face of Jonas Hideaway. There he sat in the midst of the buzz and hum of half a dozen beehives, silent and unsmiling, with his fur coat folded across his knees, caring for nobody, and nobody caring for him seemingly.

"He's like a death's head at a feast," the doctor remarked to his wife.

"Yes. I wonder what brought him out?

"He wants to save himself from petrifaction, I suppose," returned the Doctor dryly.

"It's a shame he is so hard toward Prissy," said the lady warmly. "He might afford to forgive her before doomsday, I think. Of course she was foolish to go off and marry the son of her father's worst enemy, but the poor thing was starving for affection, I suppose. She's in actual want now since her husband has been sick, and there's her father alone in that big comfortable house, and with money in the bank. But she'd starve before she'd ask him for anything.

"Ain't Jonas Hideaway cross?" queried Nat, the miller's boy, of Tom Wilcox. "Jyp is scared to death when she meets him. You ought to have heard her whine when she went with me up there on an errand."

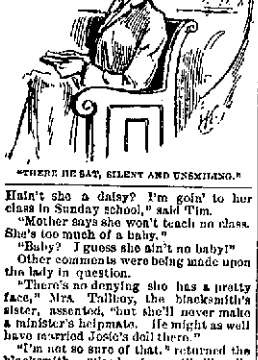
"He don't do nothin' but read books," returned Tim. "He's got a room full of them. Books must be poor company all the time."

"He needs to be shook up a spell in a grist mill."

"Mill? He don't care for grists. He feeds on books."

"Yes; he's a bookworm. The minister said so," assented Nat, solemnly.

"The minister's wife is lookin' at him.



"THERE HE SAT, SILENT AND UNSMILING."

Hain't she a daisy? I'm goin' to her class in Sunday school," said Tim.

"Mother says she won't teach no class. She's too much of a baby."

"Baby? I guess she ain't no baby!"

Other comments were being made upon the lady in question.

"There's no denying she has a pretty face," Mrs. Tallboy, the blacksmith's sister, assented, "but she'll never make a minister's helpmate. He might as well have married Josie's doll there."

"I'm not so sure of that," returned the blacksmith. "See her face. She'll smile folks straight to heaven while the parson is hammering away on the gospel anvil in his slow way."

"Her voice is sweet as a bobolink's," blind Joe whispered on the other side of Mrs. Tallboy.

"Yes, she's trained herself to speak soft," assented the lady, who was of the masculine order of women. "Men always see such women cross-eyed. Seth, here, was always an idiot about a pretty face."

A long wicker basket which hung low on the tall Christmas tree was the subject of much comment and conjecture. Very few were aware of the treasure with which it was freighted, or that it was watched stealthily through the half open door near the desk by a pair of soft, dark, anxious eyes.

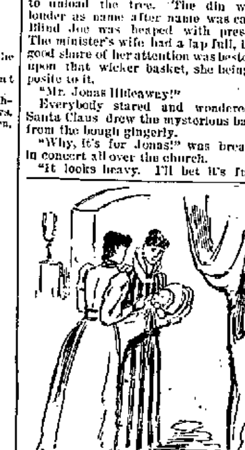
A jolly-faced Santa Claus commenced to unload the tree. The din waxed louder as name after name was called. Blind Joe was heaped with presents. The minister's wife had a lap full, but a good share of her attention was bestowed upon that wicker basket, she being opposite to it.

"Mr. Jonas Hideaway!"

Everybody stared and wondered as Santa Claus drew the mysterious basket from the bough gingerly.

"Why, it's for Jonas!" was breathed in concert all over the church.

"It looks heavy. I'll bet it's full of



"I OWE THIS ALL TO YOU."

bricks." Nat hazarded.

"Bricks is all he deserves," assented Tim, oracularly.

"Mr. Jonas Hideaway!" Santa Claus called again with special emphasis.

The owner of the name did not budge, whereupon Santa Claus marched down the aisle with the basket and set it upon the coat folded across Jonas' knees. With something between a growl and an exclamation he lifted the wicker cover.

Was it the face of a lovely doll half hidden in lace and lawn and pink ribbons that he looked down upon? The light was not the brightest in that corner, and there was a strange film over his eyes, but surely it seemed to breathe, and its weight upon his knees was like flesh and blood! Jonas sat helpless under the burden, dimly conscious that the hubbub around him was stilled suddenly.

In the midst of his bewilderment, a pair of large dark eyes opened slowly. Jonas felt an unusual stir in the region of his heart. The eyes were regarding him steadily with a curious little pucker of the brows. After a few moment's inspection, two little hands were reached up to him, and three fingers closed tightly around the thumb of the hand that steadied the basket.

"If she don't look sweet enough to eat!" said Susie Baker, leaning over his left arm.

"She's the dead image of Prissy when she was a baby," declared motherly Mrs. Nesbit above his shoulder.

"She's got your nose, Squire, sure as

"TWO LITTLE HANDS WERE REACHED UP TO HIM."

the world!" supplemented Mr. Hobbs, the grocer.

Jones' face took on a multitude of uncertain expressions that might mean the verge of either tears or laughter. His stolidity was all broken up. The baby was a center of attraction. She smiled and crowed and bubbled over with good-nature. There was so much Christmas gladness in the atmosphere, bless you, that no one, large or small, could escape its influence.

The baby face brought a rush of memories from the past to Jonas, of the child he had held in his arms long ago, when the tenderness of fatherhood had first dawned upon his heart, and of the sweet young wife and mother whom, a month later, he had laid away forever. He recalled his bitterness and rebellion against his lot, his hardness toward the child for whose sake he had been bereaved, and the increasing coldness of the years, with no wifely touch to soften the strong, stern, uncompromising qualities which predominated in his nature.

The fountains of the great deep were broken up now. Tears forced themselves slowly from his eyes and fell upon the baby's cheek. Its smile died, and it looked up into his face with the mysterious, searching eyes of babyhood. He lifted it from its warm nest and held its soft cheek against his.

"He has a heart, after all," said the Doctor's wife, with a movement of her handkerchief across her eyes.

"Heart!" echoed the Doctor. "He buried it with his young wife long ago, but it looks now like a resurrection."

Jonas looked up, to meet the moist shining eyes of the minister's wife. Some instinct taught him her share in this matter.

"Where is the child's mother?" he asked, brokenly.

The little lady turned and drew Prissy, pale and trembling, from her covert behind the brawny, big-hearted blacksmith, where she had stood watching her darling crowd its way into her father's heart and arms.

"Prissy, my child!"

"Oh, father! father!"

"Don't you want to take charge of my Christmas present?" he asked, with a mighty effort at self-control. "The whole house up there is at your disposal—and hers. I will send for—your husband."

The baby's face had a baptism of happy tears this time, as its mother carried it into the ante-room where she had watched the experiment. She was followed by the minister's wife and others.

"I owe this all to you," she said, gratefully, to the doll wife.

"I knew he was good as gold, away down," returned the little lady, softy.

How the glad Christmas bells rang in the air around Jonas' old homestead that night! How peacefully the angels of good-will brooded over the slumber of the inmates!

Christmas "Bran Pie."

Perhaps everybody has heard of "bran pie," but if there is somebody who hasn't, the description may not come amiss.

A tub is to be used for the dish, the size to depend on the probable number of the gifts, and clean bran for the lining and the crust. In other words, the tub may be half filled with the bran, and then the presents neatly covered with brown paper, tied and labeled, placed in the bran, here, there, and everywhere, so as to require as much hunting for hidden treasure as possible, and finally a covering of bran put over the whole.

Those who are to be served with this very substantial sort of a Christmas pie surround it in a circle, each in turn drawing out a bundle from the all-enveloping bran. If the drawer of a prize finds his own name written on the bundle, he keeps it, but if it is the name of some other member of the party, he returns it to the pie, and waits until his turn to draw comes round again.

A good deal of amusement may be added if an appropriate motto or proverb be written on each bundle; for instance, with an embroidered needle-book, the words, "A stitch in time saves nine;" with a calendar, "Take time by the forelock," and so on.

Christmas Customs.

The small boys make it a point to attend Sunday school in force.

Nobody notices the old maid when she gets under the mistletoe.

The schoolteacher spares the rod from about Dec. 1 until the holidays are over.

Little Johnnie always makes a noise, even though it puts a hole in the head of his new drum.

Uncle 'Rastus feels in honor bound to pay a nocturnal visit to the hen-houses of all his neighbors.

The married man has not only to pay for the present he gives his better half, but for the one his wife gives him.

Santa Claus is almost as blind as his little friend Cupid. The old man seldom sees the chimneys of the poor.

A dog which was given a collar and chain, and tied up all day and night, failed to appreciate his Christmas present.

The mistletoe is always hung up on the chandelier because it is not necessary to have any one out on the stairs or in other dark places.

The tin soldiers the small boys get are more bloodthirsty than they look. When they fight they show no quarter, and it isn't long before the whole army is annihilated.—*Judge.*

"Peace on Earth, Good-Will Toward Men."

Mrs. Humble—Have you any idea what you will have for Christmas presents?

Mrs. Goahead—Well, yes; and I'll just make it hot for the giver too. My husband had a box sent to the house yesterday, and I opened it before he came home.

Mrs. Humble—What was in it, dear?

Mrs. Goahead—A pair of doeskin dress-trousers, a wooden crown and scepter, a receipt for one year's membership to the woman's suffrage union, and a card that said, "A Merry Christmas to my Darling Little Wifey."

Mrs. Humble—What are you going to do about it?

Mrs. Goahead—Do? I bought a sealskin cloak, a set of diamonds and a grand piano this afternoon, and I'll put the bill in his stocking Christmas. He can't vent any sarcasm on me with impunity.

Santa Claus Scratches.

Santa Claus is the merchant with the largest stockin' trade.—*Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.*

Santa Claus cannot fill some stockings half as well as the wearers do.—*Christmas Puck.*

Santa Claus keeps the mail-carriers busy, and the express companies seem to have been made expressly for him.—*New Orleans Picayune.*

A great argument in favor of bachelorhood is that nowhere doth it appear that there ever existed a Mrs. Santa Claus.—*Yonkers Statesman.*

Santa Claus says that the modern chimneys are a nuisance, as they land him away down in the cellar in a red-hot furnace, and half the time the cellar door is locked.—*Dansville Express.*

"Sunder Claus" in the Rhine Countries.

The advent of the patron saint of children is variously observed throughout the world. In the Rhine countries, he is "Sunder Claus," and some one fittingly arrayed impersonates him for the amusement of the children. The night before he is supposed to descend the chimney with his generous store of gifts the little ones may be heard singing:

Dear Santa Claus, for the children's sakes,
Bring us nuts and sugar cakes;
Throw them into my apron here,
And help to swell the Christmas cheer.

He Will Hang Up Both Stockings.

"Mamma," asked Dick, plaintively, "am I all the children we've got?"

"Yes, dear," answered mamma, smiling at his curious plural and pronoun.

"Then," said Dick, with decision, "I shall hang up both stockings next year so they'll just touch the floor easy, and ask Santa Claus to please put a foot in each, with a little brother onto 'em. I'm tired of playing I'm a family all the time."—*Time.*

The Alsatian "Christ-Child."

In France, it is the Jesus bain-bin, Christ-child, who comes. Among the Alsatians a beautiful young girl personates this character, and with a bell in one hand and sweetmeats in the other, she goes about the village distributing the coveted gifts among the children.

OUR MODERN SAMSONS

PEOPLE WHO HAVE "TRAVELED ON THEIR MUSCLE."

Something About the Phenomenally Strong Men of the World—How Science Has Enabled Mountebanks to Delude the Public.

HISTORY repeats itself, and there is nothing new under the sun," remarked a well-posted literary gentleman in the presence of the writer not long since. "The fashionables of London have just found out that the feats of strength performed by the modern Samson in that metropolis are the flimsiest of tricks. It is like some of our recent inventions. They are based on theories and principles old as the Greeks, and Samson's wonderful performances are all predicated on the employment of the properties of the mechanical powers."

He might have gone further, and claimed that Samson was a mere imitator, for a research back a few centuries develops some very interesting facts regarding the so-called strong men of the world.

The original biblical Samson was the true man of muscle. Everybody is familiar with the carrying off of the gates

PULLING AGAINST HORSES.

of Gaza, the breaking of the lion's jaws, the destruction of the temple. From Samson's time down to the third century, many marvelous feats of strength might be recorded in the arena and on the battle-field, but Firmus, who lived in the reign of Aurelius, in the third century, is the first man who "traveled on his muscle" in a professional way. His great specialty was the sustaining of an anvil on his breast as he lay prostrate, upon which iron was forged. In performing this feat, Firmus rested his feet and shoulders against some support, so as to form an arch of his body.

The next emulator of Delilah's victim was Joyce, of Kent. In 1703, he electrified England with his prodigious strength, by drawing against horses and lifting enormous weights. He was known as the "second Samson," but his performances were erratic and crude, and it was his successor in this line who was the first to give system and science to his exhibitions of muscle.

John Charles Van Eckeberg was the name of this prodigy, and his feats have gone into history, as they excited the attention and interest of the savants of Europe at the time he lived. He was a native of Anhalt, and to all appearance possessed only average strength. He was of medium size, weighed about 200 pounds, and very soon convinced the royal societies of Europe that his marvelous performances were due only to skill. One of his principal feats was to lie on the ground while two men stood on his knees. He then drew his heels towards his body and raised his knees lifting his burden gradually. Having brought his knees perpendicularly under him, Eckeberg raised his own body up, and placing his arms around the men's legs, rose with them, and set them on a table. He would then stand on a platform which had a trap. Through this, attached to a cannon, on rollers, weighing a ton, four ropes ran to a chain which was fastened to a girdle about his waist. The rollers were knocked away, and Eckeberg sustained the cannon in

BREAKING THE ROPE.

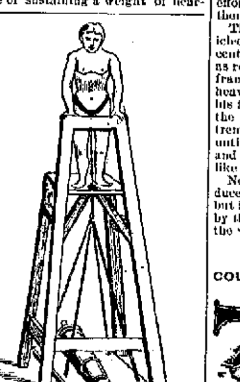
midair, with no apparent exertion.

His next feat was to place his shoulders on one chair and his heels on another, forming with his backbone, thighs, and legs the same arch that Firmus adopted, only Eckeberg would clutch the chair at his head with both hands. Two men would then stand on his stomach, and rise up and sink down as he breathed. Later a stone one and a half feet long, one foot broad, and half a foot in thickness was broken with a sledge-hammer, while he sustained the same position.

In further imitation of Firmus, the German Samson would lie down on the ground, and when an anvil was placed on his breast, a man hammered a piece of iron with all his force with a sledge, and two smiths with chisels cut a great cold bar of iron in two. A large stone was broken on the anvil in the same manner.

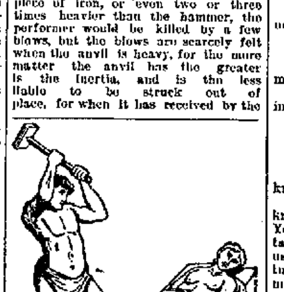
Eckeberg's main feat, however, was to pull against horses. During this performance he sat on an inclined board abutting on upright timber. Around his loins was placed a strong girdle, to the iron ring of which was fastened a rope by means of a hook. The rope passed between his legs and through a hole in the board against which he braced his feet. Several men or two horses attached to this rope failed to remove him from his position. He would then fit a rope to a strong upright post, by making it pass through two eyes attached to the post and sit ten feet from the ground. The rope ran through a ring at the girdle. Planting his feet against the post, Eckeberg raised himself from the ground four or five feet by seizing the rope. Then, suddenly spreading out his legs, he broke the rope in two. To indicate the strength of his fingers, he took a flat piece of iron and first bent it to a right angle. Then wrapping a handkerchief about its broad upper end, he held that end in his left hand, and, with the right applied to the other end, twisted it to an angular point, like a screw.

It did not take long for the scientists to discover the trick of Eckeberg's dexterity. They decided that his feats depended mainly on the natural strength of the bones of the pelvis, which forms a double arch. It requires an enormous strength to break these bones by any pressure directed to the center of the arch, and, as the legs and thighs are capable of sustaining a weight of near-



RAISING THE CANNON.

ly five thousand pounds, a performer has no difficulty in resisting the strength of two horses or a cannon's weight. The difficulty in the anvil feat is to sustain the anvil only, as the effect of the hammering is practically nothing. If the anvil were a thin piece of iron, or even two or three times heavier than the hammer, the performer would be killed by a few blows, but the blows are scarcely felt when the anvil is heavy, for the more matter the anvil has the greater is the inertia, and is the less liable to be struck out of place, for when it has received by the



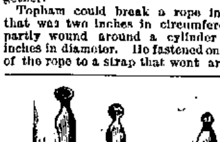
THE BLACKSMITH FEAT.

blow the whole momentum of the hammer, its velocity will be so much less than that of the hammer as its gravity of matter is greater. When the blow is struck the weight of the anvil is felt less than before, because, in the reaction of the anvil, all the parts round about the hammer rise to the blow.

Thomas Topham, who lived about one hundred and fifty years ago, was perhaps the most remarkable of all modern Samsons. While his feats were of a simpler nature, they had the merit of being performed by a man entirely ignorant of methods for making his strength appear more surprising by natural powers than others by artificial means. Topham was five feet ten inches in height. So ignorant was Topham of the laws of mechanics that, when he attempted to pull against horses without a harness, he shattered one of his knees.

Some of his feats may be briefly stated. He would rub his fingers with coal ashes to keep them from slipping, and would roll up a very large pewter plate. He would take eight short and strong pieces of tobacco pipe, lay them over the first and third fingers, and break them with the force of the middle fingers. He would take a strong clay pipe-bowl, place it between the first and third fingers, and by pressing them together sideways would break it, or he would perform the same feat by placing the bowl under his garter, breaking it with the force of the tendons of the hams, without bending his legs. Topham could lift with his teeth a table six feet long on which was placed a fifty-pound weight, resting the feet of the table against his knees. With his right hand he would strike his bare left arm with a poker three feet long and three inches around, between the elbow and the wrist, until it bent at right angles, or he would hold the ends of a poker, with the center back of his neck, and bring the ends together, and pull it out straight again. This is quite a difficult feat, because the muscles which separate the arms horizontally from each other are not so strong as those which bring them together.

Topham could break a rope in two that was two inches in circumference, partly wound around a cylinder four inches in diameter. He fastened one end of the rope to a strap that went around



THE TWISTED NAILS.

one shoulder and broke the rope in two. He could also lift a stone weighing eight hundred pounds with his hands only, standing on a frame above it and taking hold of a frame on which the stone lay. On this feat scientists have based a relative view of the strength of individuals, as follows: The strength of weak men is 125 pounds, of very strong men 400 pounds, and of professional strong men double the last amount.

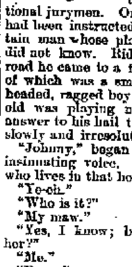
"Billy" Taylor, the well-known Chicago newspaper man, used to perform a trick with the "night gang," when news was slack, that was wont to mystify loungers about police headquarters. He would lie at full length on a newspaper spread on the floor and direct four others to place their forefingers one under his right shoulder, a second under the left shoulder, and the two others each their fingers under his ankles. They would then lift him, and with no effort they could raise him four feet from then groud.

This is a very old feat. It is chronicled by the scientists of the seventeenth century as remarkable and inexplicable as relating to the strength of the human frame. It was first performed by a heavyweight man lying on two chairs, his feet resting on one and his back on the other. Four persons found it extremely difficult to raise his dead weight until they and the man drew in a long and full breath. He would then rise like a feather.

Nearly all these feats are now reproduced in the museums of the country, but in scarcely as honest a manner as by the men who have been designated as the "Samsons of the World."

WELDON J. COBB.

COULD NOT AFFORD TO KNOW.



THE Circuit Court was in session in one of the back counties of Arkansas. An important case had come up for trial. The regular venire of jurymen had been exhausted and deputy sheriffs were sent to the country to summon additional jurymen. One of these deputies had been instructed to summon a certain man whose place of residence he did not know. Riding along a lonely road he came to a field, in the middle of which was a small cabin. A tow-headed, ragged boy about twelve years old was playing near the fence. In answer to his hail the boy approached slowly and irresolutely.

"Johnny," began the deputy, in an insinuating voice, "can you tell me who lives in that house?"

"Ye-eh."

"Who is it?"

"My maw."

"Yes, I know; but who lives with her?"

"Me."

"Doesn't any one else live there?"

"Ye-eh."

"Who is it?"

"My paw."

"What is your 'paw' and 'maw's' name?"

"They's name paw an' maw."

"Well, haven't they any other names?"

"Ye-eh."

"What are they?"

"My paw's name Unker John and my maw's name A'nt Jane."

The Deputy was nonplused for an instant, but made another trial.

"What is your name?" he asked.

"Jim."

"Haven't you another name, Jim?"

"I dunno."

"What! a boy as big as you doesn't know his name?"

"Looky yere, mister, yer wanter know er dang sight erbout this fambly. Yer kin go up thar ter ther cabin, an' talk ter my mow ef yer wanter. I ustor ter know er powerful heap tell I tuk er peddler ter ther house 'at sol' maw er clock what won't run. Ther peddler hain't be'n back fur ter git ther wawter what's er bilin' fur 'im. I got stumpin', though, 'at'll keep me fum er knowin' ernough ter take anybody thar 'less'n maw knows 'o 's er comin'. I'll hol' yer hoss while yer go ter ther cabin. Yer better tell me what yer want 'im tuck ef yer don't come back."

A red-headed woman came to the door and screamed:

"Jimmy, ef yer don't come yere this minute I won't leave er whole bone in yer ugly little hide."

The boy started for the cabin in a

"CAN YOU TELL ME WHO LIVES IN THAT HOUSE?"

trot, and the Deputy Sheriff rode rapidly away.

HUGH BLAKE WILLIAMS.

GEMS OF THOUGHT.

[From the Ram's Horn.]

When the heart is full the soul speaks.

No man can die wrong who lives right.

The man who fears God is afraid to sin.

A good man is one of God's thoughts in motion.

The Christian who doesn't do much doesn't love much.

We are never so strong as when we are thankful.

A merciless man can not worship a merciful God.

The man in the wrong is the one who won't forgive.

Not to be for God always is not to be for God at all.

When the heart speaks the whole man says "Amen."

God can use a weak man, but He won't use a lazy one.

If we didn't have any trials we couldn't have any faith.

Every sin that is not forsaken brings with it another.

God never intended that any man should be a loafer.

The man who overcomes himself disappoints the devil.

Belief is the rudder by which the ship of our life is directed.

Repentance never comes too late, if it comes from the heart.

A stingy man would have to stand on his head to see heaven.

When God is truly worshiped the soul is purified by the proces.

Men need moral courage more than they do higher foreheads.

No man who gives as much as he ought to do ever growls about it.

The sin you look at will soon make you pick it up and carry it.

When God speaks through a man all nations can understand him.

There is no worship in anything you do simply from a sense of duty.

Every time we try to deceive God our chances for being lost increase.

The worship that does not come from the heart never finds its way to heaven.

An Equivalent [illegible]

If we allow our bodily infirmities to mak[e] away with us through neglect, have we such a[n] immense moral advantage over the deliberat[e] suicide? Scarcely. For example, the deadl[y] progress of Bright's disease, diabetes, acut[e] nephritis and gravel is sure—often terribly swi[ft] to the catastrophe. Most people of average in[-]formation know that this is the simple, unvar[-]nished truth in regard to those widely prevalen[t] maladies. To delay judicious medication is specially suicidal in such cases. The means of restraint is to be found in Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Give an impetus to the action of the kidneys with this safe and reliable diuretic, and the infant complaint is shorn at its birth of the power for evil. Allow it to grow, and anticipate the worst. The Bitters, which annihilates the growing troubles, also eradicates dyspepsi[a,] rheumatism, malaria, and liver complaint. Appetite, sleep, and vigor are also promot[ed] by it.

Storm Signals by Telephone.

It is proposed to increase the faciliti[es] for obtaining warning of coming stor[ms] by utilizing the telephone. Mr. Faye, [a] leading authority of the French Academ[y] of Sciences, has asserted his belief in th[e] feasibility of the plan, and he is of th[e] opinion that the telephone is capable o[f] transmitting storm sounds and of predicting a tempest at least twelve hours before it bursts. There seems to be no reason to believe that the telephone cannot be used for the purpose, as satisfactory work has been done on somewha[t] the same lines by the microphone, by which instrument, indeed, most reliabl[e] indications of subterranean disturbance[s] are now obtained.

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Great Merchant—Well, I'll forgive you. What do you want now?

Distinguished Individual—I would like to borrow another $10.

How a Girl Made Money.

MR. EDITOR:—I am tempted to give my experience for the benefit of others. I sent $5 to H. F. Delno & Co., Columbus, Ohio, and received a fine machine for plating with gold, silver and nickel. The plating is done so nice every person wants work done. I got all the knives, forks and jewelry I can plate. I made $4.40 the first day, $27.90 the first week, in one month I had $163 clear profit. My brother makes $10 to $20 per day selling platers. Any one can do as much by writing to the above firm for circulars.

Yours truly,
LUCY V. BABBIT.

A Co-operative Farm.

A colony of about twenty-five families have recently purchased a tract of 3,000 acres of choice farm land in Cullman County, Ala., on which to locate a co-operative farm. It is to be organized as a joint stock company with a capital stock of $200,000, limited to 200 shares of $1,000 each.

A WHITE man named Johnson shot and killed a negro at McCool's Station, Miss., because he would not dance to suit him.

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THE SLEEPY PIGEON.

BY J. P. HOWARD.

O, give me back the morn
Whose fields of yellow corn
Waved in the autumn wind
Long ago.

Let me when it shall break
From sleep of health awake,
And seek the woodland haunts
That I know.

Across the meadow mown
Up from a stump or stone
A sleepy pigeon flies,
Wet with dew.

Like him we leave the glade,
And in the leafy shade
Wait as the fairies wait,
Hid from view.

And see the rabbit when
He bobs from out the fen,
Alternate drooping ears,
Looking bland.

And hear in symphony
The divers notes agree,
As birds of dawning wake
The matin song.

The owl on a dead tree
Deplores the melody,
And the returning light
In his eyes.

The pine its golden head
Bows in the sun so red,
And thus the wood concludes
Its sacrifice.

HAVANA, N. Y.

THE INDIANS' CHRIST.

WEIRD MESSIAH OF THE CREDULOUS RED MAN.

He Wears a Blazer—Munchausen Porcupine's Startling Story—What the Ghost Dance Is Like—Cause of the Indian Uprising in the Northwest.

It is white man had a Christ. The red man, too, will have one.

Such is the doctrine that has set the whole Northwest on fire.

A glance at the situation in the Northwest, and a brief consideration of the treatment of the Indians by their conquerors, the white men, may shed some light upon the primary cause for this threatened uprising.

Brooding dissatisfaction over years of ill-treatment has caused the advent of this promised. Redeemer to be treated with joy by the Indians. With the westward march of civilization the Indian has been crowded further and further back. His boundless prairies have been wantonly depleted of their game. The buffalo is extinct. The deer has retreated to the forests. The Indians to-day are prisoners. They are kept upon reservations limited in extent and limited in their stock of game and fish.

No wonder, then, that the Indian has come to the conclusion that Christ was only for the white man. Having imbibed the idea of a Messianic Savior, it is no wonder that he seized upon the idea of a red man's Christ with avidity, adopted it, and worked himself up to a religious frenzy at the hope that he would at no remote date regain his freedom, his prairies, his game, and his tribal relations.

It is a mystery where this idea originated. Sitting Bull, the great war chief of the Dakota Sioux, is unquestionably at the bottom of all the trouble. But the idea of an Indian messiah is not his own. Neither is it that of Porcupine, the cunning old chief of the Cheyennes, who claims to have talked with the messiah and visited the "happy hunting grounds."

Porcupine's description of the locality in which he was taught the gospel of this mysterious messiah, together with the description of the apostles he met on his trip, points to Utah and the Mormons.

There seems to be little room for doubt that the Mormons of Utah and Nevada are at the bottom of the new craze. In many of its features it resembles the Mormon faith. It bears the ear-marks of Mormonism all over it.

One of the cardinal doctrines of the Mormon faith is a belief in revelation. From time to time the apostles of the Latter-Day Saints, as they call themselves, see visions and have all sorts of things revealed to them by God. So that not only does the location of the new messiah but the essential points in the whole story point to the Mormons as the authors of the evil.

Among the Arapahoe Indians in Wyoming it is supposed the messianic craze was first started. They talked of it in the fall of 1889, during a visit of Porcupine to Shoshone Agency. The doctrine was preached by an Indian called Sage, who said he learned it while in the country to the southwest of the Shoshone Agency during the summer.

This man Sage described where the messiah was to be found, and intimated that he had come on earth for the purpose of restoring it to its rightful owners—the Indians; that he would wipe the white men from the face of the earth, and restore the country to the condition in which it was three hundred years ago.

The Cheyenne chief, Porcupine, was naturally interested by this. He and his companions determined to go to see this new Redeemer. He sent several Indians up to the Indians on Tongue River, in the northern part of Wyoming and the southern part of Montana, to tell them the good news. Then he and a few companions started off on a long and perilous journey.

It must be remembered that Porcupine lives at Cheyenne Agency, which is on the Missouri River, in almost the center of South Dakota. He was visiting at the Shoshone Agency, which is almost in the center of Wyoming, and far away from home. He had probably obtained permission to make this visit, but the step he was taking in journeying a thousand miles further west was unauthorized and he knew it.

Traveling for several days among Indians and white men, they had various experiences and spent some time among some fish-eating Indians. From these Indians Porcupine learned that Christ had appeared upon earth again and had sent for him, thus explaining why he unconsciously had started on his journey. The Great Father was said to be with Christ, and eleven of the latter's sons were also there.

At a great pow-wow the Great Father sent word to Porcupine, through the sons of the chief, that in the course of fourteen days he would visit them.

Then followed a most remarkable scene, in which the hand of the Mormon hierarchy is apparent. Two days they waited in expectation. At the end of that time a vast concourse of Indians was assembled. A place near the agency was cleared in the form of a great ring, into which they all entered.

CHIEF GALL.

The sun was just setting. It was a cold afternoon in November, and any one who is familiar with the West can imagine the scene. The snow-capped peaks of the Sierra Nevadas rose to the west, tinted pink and gold with the glory of the western sunset, the dark pines around their bases mirrored in the still darker waters of the lake, the vast assemblage of Indians, clothed in brilliant blankets, the blue smoke of the fires rising among the tepees, straight up, up, up into the cold gray vault above. The silence is scarcely broken. The Indians are sitting around smoking their pipes and saying nothing.

THE INDIAN MESSIAH AS SEEN BY PORCUPINE.

Just as the veil of darkness began to spread itself over the pine trees in the valley, while yet the light shone upon the mountains, a large body of men, dressed in the garb of civilization, arrived and entered the cleared circle. They had no tents, so sheets were erected all around the circle to keep off the cold night wind.

A whisper went around among the assembled Indians.

"Christ has come!"

SITTING BULL.

A MEDICINE MAN.

RED CLOUD.

Porcupine's description of Christ's garb is rather incongruous. Says he:

"He was dressed in a white coat, with stripes. The rest of his dress was a white man's, except that he wore moccasins."

By this time it was dark, and by the light of the camp fires Christ began to dance in the slow, rhythmic style of the Indian. The others all joined the dance, Christ singing as an accompaniment. Late into the night they danced until Christ told them they had danced enough. Porcupine had plenty of opportunity of watching the savior. He had heard that he had been crucified, so looked carefully for the scars left by the nails. There was one on his face and another on his wrist, but his feet were not visible.

THE GHOST DANCE.

"He secreted to be the man," remarked Porcupine.

Two days afterward Christ talked to them all day. He told them what he wanted them to do, and explained what he himself would do to aid them. He asked them to remain at peace with the white men. They must prepare for their coming deliverance and spread the news as far and as wide as possible.

The deliverance is to come about in this wise: Some time during the coming winter the messiah will come in all his majesty. With Him will come all the braves who have died and who are now supposed to be in the happy hunting grounds. A great wave of earth will pass over the whole crowd, burying everything thirty feet deep beneath it. The whole race of white men, with their towns, their railroads, their ships and munitions of war, will be exterminated by this burial.

The red men will be buried, too, but will have a supernatural power given them, by which they will climb out through the stratum of earth. When they arrive on the surface they will find themselves purified. They will find every trace of civilization and the hated palo-face wiped out.

The prairies will be covered with waving grass waist-deep. Buffalo will roam, as they did of yore. The spirits of the departed dead will all be there, restored again to life. Wild horses will be ready for their use, and the millennium will have dawned.

This climbing out through the earth is a sort of purgatory through which the Indians will have to go in order that they may be purified from every contaminating stain left by the white race. Pain, tribulation and trouble will be encountered, but strength will be given them to overcome the obstacles.

WHAT THE GHOST DANCE IS LIKE.

In preparing for the dance the Indians cut the tallest tree that they can find, and, having dragged it to a level place of prairie, set it up in the ground. Under this tree four of the best men stand. Others form in a circle and begin to go around and around the tree. The begin the dance Friday afternoon. It is kept up Saturday and Sunday until sundown. During all this time they do not eat or drink. They keep going round in one direction until they become so dizzy that they can scarcely stand, then turn and go in the other direction and keep it up till they swoon from exhaustion. This is what they strive to do, for while they are in swoon they think they see and talk with the new Christ. When they regain consciousness they tell their experiences to the four wise men under the tree. All their tales end with the same story about the two mountains that are to belch forth mud and bury the white men and the return of good Indian times.

They lose all their senses in the dance. They think they are animals. Some got down on all fours and bob about like buffalo. When they can not lose their senses from exhaustion they butt their heads together, beat them on the ground, and do anything to become insensible, so that they may be ushered into the presence of the new Christ. One poor Indian, when he recovered his senses, said that Christ had told him he must return to earth because he had not brought with him his wife and child. His child had died two years before, and the way the poor fellow cried was most heartrending. At the end of the dance they had a grand feast, the revel lasting all Sunday night. They kill several steers and eat them raw and drink and gorge themselves to make up for their fast. Every Indian has about four war clubs made out of round stones twisted in rawhide. They throw these around during the dance, strew the ground with them, and beat their heads against them.

An Odd Proposition.

One of the oddest contributions to the really large body of literature called forth by the "servant question" is the proposal of Mrs. Frances Darwin in an English magazine that a servant girl when applying for a situation should have the same right to ask for references from the mistress that the mistress has to ask them from the servant. For the purpose of meeting this legitimate demand she suggests that each mistress should name two referees among her former servants who have lived with her within a year. This assumes a judicial mindedness and power of expression on the part of servant girls which they hardly ever possess, and it assumes also that the servant girls do not already act as references about mistresses for each other. The truth is that nearly every employer's character, as an employer, is pretty well known to all the servant girls in the neighborhood. They describe the ways of the people they live with to one another at their Sunday evening conventicles with a minuteness and prolixity which leaves nothing to be desired in the way of information about temper, habits, kind and amount of work. It would be a waste of labor for any housekeeper to appoint standing referees, because their judgment would either be superfluous or ineffective, and would besides this be highly colored by the reasons of the referee for leaving or staying in the house.

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The lesson for Sunday, Dec. 21, may found in Luke 24: 44-53.

INTRODUCTORY.

We have come to the last and crowning effort of the life of Christ. Here his glory is fully manifested as he gives his final instructions to his disciples. He is visibly taken up into heaven, whence he will not less gloriously reappear. Even so come, Lord Jesus! Farrar thus groups the ten appearances of the risen Christ: 1. To Mary of Magdala (John 20: 11-17; Mark 16: 9). 2. To other women (Matt. 28: 9, 10). 3. To Peter (Luke 24: 34; 1 Cor. 15: 5). 4. To the disciples on the way to Emmaus (Luke 24: 13-35; Mark 16: 12, 13). 5. To ten apostles, and others (Luke 24: 36-49; John 20: 19-23; Mark 16: 14). 6. To the eleven apostles, including Thomas (John 20: 24-29). 7. To the eleven apostles at the Lake of Galilee (John 21: 1-24). 8. To the five hundred on the hill of Galilee (Mark 28: 16-20; Mark 16: 15-18; 1 Cor. 15: 6). 9. To James, the Lord's brother (1 Cor. 15: 7). 10. Before the Ascension (Luke 24: 50, 51; Acts 1: 6-9).

WHAT THE LESSON SAYS.

And he said to them. Directly following the eating of the "broiled fish," rendered in the last lesson.——These are the words, i. e., "that all things must be fulfilled," etc., below. (Luke 18: 31-34.)——Spoke to you, or talked over with you (Inico).——While yet with you. He does not seem to consider himself on exactly the same bodily relations as before.——Types.——Prophets.——Psalms. The threefold division of the Old Testament, the Psalms including all the lyrical and strictly poetical books.

Opened. Intensive form. To open out.——Understanding, or mind (noun), the opened mind constituting the "understanding," as we use the word.——That they might understand the Scriptures. Literally, might put together the writings, the only way to properly understand the Bible.

Thus it behooved. Rather, Thus it is written that the Christ should suffer. (Tischendorf.)——From the dead. Out from among the dead is nearer the Greek phraseology.

Repentance. Man's change of mind.——Remission, Forgiveness, the change so called on God's part.——Preached gospel preaching takes root, then, back in the old economy.——All nations. The scriptures, rightly understood, speak for all mankind (Isa. 49: 6).——Beginning at Jerusalem. But certainly not stopping there. "Out of Zion shall go forth the law (Isa. 2: 3).

And ye, i. e., those who know him, having been with him, pre-eminently the apostles.——Witnesses, testifiers to the truth of the things prophesied. The acts is the mind of this witnessing in the early days of the church.

I send. Present tense, as being so imminent.——The promise of my Father. So promised in Joel 2: 28, reiterated in the gospels as at John 14: 16.——Remain, see Acts 2: 1.——Endued with or clothed, as of the putting on of a new garment.

To Bethany. The preferred reading is, near Bethany, probably one of the secluded slopes of Olivet.——Blessed; spoke words of blessing.

While he blessed. While in the act. Was parted; literally, stood apart.

Worshiped, i. e., prostrated themselves.——Great joy, evidently expectant of something better.

Continually. In obedience to his word, "tarry."

WHAT THE LESSON TEACHES.

These are the words. Almost the first thing Christ was doing when he began his ministry was pointing to the Scripture concerning himself. That was there in the synagogue at Nazareth. Now the last he is doing as he leaves the earth, in his bodily presence, is pointing again to the word. Assuredly Christ cared for the Bible, and he holds it up before us as the abiding lamp for our feet and light for our path. It puts us on essentially the same place as those early disciples. We are not able to place our fingers in the print of the nails but we can put our fingers upon the sacred page and upon the very words he spake while yet with us. Is not that enough? He said it was than.

Then opened he their understanding. It is possible then for one to read the Scriptures without understanding, for certainly these men were Bible students, and since they had to read without the understanding up to this point, it is possible for one to-day to peruse the word to little avail. We need the understanding clarified. In the last lesson we read how Christ opened the disciples' eyes that they might know him. He is doing the same thing for them all now, and we may say, for us all. For the understanding he gave them was that they might even see the sin-bearing and triumphing Christ in his word. This he does through his Spirit, for each of us as for them. To read the Bible with understanding is to find Christ revealed to the heart therein.

And ye are witnesses of these things. There is something, then, for us to do. Christ has left with us the lively declaration of the things which he said and did. "How much I would give to see a genuine revival of religion in this place!" Instantly the words seem spoken in the heart, "How much?" God comes to us and he asks how much we are willing to do to make his salvation known to a lost world. What is your witness? Does your tongue tell of his grace? Better still, does your life testify of the kingdom and patience of Christ? If we would see his kingdom come, we must keep on witnessing.

Endued with power. That power has been given, poured out upon the church. It only remains for the believing soul to personally appropriate it. At Acts 1: 4 we see Christ bidding the disciples to "wait for the promise of the Father." It was but a promised gift to them. Turn to Acts 2: 33, and we find it spoken of as a gift possessed: "Having received of the Father the promise of the Holy Ghost, he hath shed forth this, which ye now see and hear." The Spirit has already been given to Christ for us, and whenever we receive Christ we receive the Spirit with him. If we have not given ourselves fully to Christ, then we are not fully in the spirit. To be filled with the Spirit, give up the whole to Christ—body, soul, feet, hand and life. All his—all ours.

While he blessed them he was parted from them. This, his parting token, he was always blessing, going about doing good. He lifted up his hands, as it were, to bless the bread and then, by that same sweet, tell-tale gesture, they knew him. It was his familiar attitude. There on the tree his arms were outspread as if to take a wide world to his breaking heart, and when next he appeared in the closed room after the resurrection he was putting out his hands in blessing. Yes, when last we beheld him, as the heavens received him out of our sight, his hands were lifted in blessing. And, for us who love him, what shall be the future? "Ye men of Galilee, why stand ye gazing up into heaven? This same Jesus which is taken up from you into heaven, shall so come in like manner as ye have seen him go into heaven."

Next Lesson—Review, or any lesson preferred by school.

SYLVESTER'S LITTLE LARK.

He Had an Unpleasant Reception, But It Turned Out All Right.

"Goo-good-night," said Mr. Sylvester, with an effort, as he reached his own house. "Hope you won't find your wife sitting up f-for you. Mine u-used to, but I got her out of that notion pretty quick. She's sound asleep now, I'll warrant, and no make believe, either. I might fire off a Gatling gun alongside of her best ear and she'd never know it."

Mr. Sylvester parted from his neighbor and entered his own house, opening and shutting the door with some trouble, and a good deal of noise. Then he extinguished the hall light, fell up stairs one step at a time, and went into the front room, which was dimly lighted. And there he saw his wife sitting in a rocking chair by the dressing table. Her back was toward him, and she did not look up or speak—both bad signs.

"Lizbeth," said Mr. Sylvester, with much dignity, sitting down on the side of the bed unsteadily, "what are you doing there?"

No response.

"Lizbeth, haven't I told you never to set 'em up, I mean set—sit up for me? It isn't proper. I'm old enough to come home w-when I please, Lizbeth. I c-command you not to do it again. Why don't you say something, Lizbeth?"

Mrs. Sylvester preserved a discreet silence. Mr. Sylvester resumed:

"Lizbeth, I command you to speak. It isn't treating me with proper respect to sit there s' mum. What have I done to be treated like this? Will you speak, Lizbeth?"

There was only silence more profound.

"Very well, Lizbeth, you'll be sorry f' this in the morning. I shall now retire to my—bless my soul, Lizbeth, who is this?"

Mr. Sylvester stood up very straight and stared at the bed, on the edge of which he had been sitting. There lay his excellent wife sound asleep, her bangs done up in tissue paper and a smile of placid contentment on her lips.

"Who's that other woman?" stammered Mr. Sylvester in a sotto voce tone. Then he took courage to approach and pluck her by the sleeve. Pshaw. She came to pieces in his hands. It was only Mrs. Sylvester's clothes which she had arranged handily in case of fire.

And Sylvester murmured: "Saved again, b'gosh!" as he tucked himself in his little bed, while his wife continued to sleep the sleep of the just.—*Detroit Free Press.*

Eggs in Manufactures and the Arts.

It is an error, says Bradstreet's, to suppose that eggs have no considerable use except for food. They are employed in calico printing, in photography, in gilding, in clarifying various liquors, and in bookbinding. A large business has sprung up in the preparation of photographic paper with salted albumen, and one establishment alone is said to have used more than 2,000,000 eggs in six months for this purpose. Many attempts have been made to find a vegetable or animal substitute for albumen, but in vain. A prize of $2,000, offered thirty years ago by an English society for the discovery of a material or process for replacing albumen in calico printing, still remains untaken. Nor are the yolks of eggs used in manufacturing wholly wasted. They are also employed in the arts, and a manufacturer in Vienna solidifies them. Possibly, too, the developments in canning will before long give us canned eggs, or perhaps condensed eggs, suitable at least for cooking. At any rate it would seem worth while to try to raise part of the eggs which are consumed by other countries.

Ten Dollar Bills for Curl Papers.

"Put a nice curl in my mustache, will you?" said a well-dressed man Wednesday morning as he leaned back in a chair in a Fourth street barber shop.

"Yes, sir," said the barber as he tucked a towel under the man's chin. "I'll put a curl in it that will stay a week." he added a minute later as he pulled a couple of bills out of his pocket and smoothed them on the customer's shoulder. Then he twisted up one side of the mustache and deftly fastened it with one of the bills. The same was done with the other. The man was surprized, evidently, at seeing money used for curl papers, and more surprised as he saw a big X in front of each eye.

The barber applied the lather, but the man grew nervous.

"Is that money you have twisted in my mustache?" he asked.

"Yes, sir. I always prefer good American scrip to common paper or tin foil. And then," he added, after a pause, "it gives tone to the business."

"Well, I've had money in all parts of my clothes, in my shoes and hat band, even in my undershirt, but—well, I never had it in my mustache before. And they look like two saw bucks; are they?"

"Yes; each is a ten. I have used two fifties, but that's when money was a little more plentiful."

The barber shaved away, and the customer evidently kept up thinking. The chair was near the door, and the faucet some feet back in the shop. When the barber walked back to wet the towel, after going over the man's face once, the latter suddenly raised up, sprang from the chair and bolted out the door.

"Hold on there you—fool!" yelled the barber, as he ran to the door; but the man didn't hold. He ran up an alley in the same block.

Then the barber sat down and roared, while the others in the shop joined in with him. "I thought he was going to do that all the time. Well, I've got the best of the bargain anyway. He has got the shave and the Confederate ten dollar bills, and I've got his hat."—*St. Paul Pioneer Press.*

Prehistoric Sewing.

The art of sewing has been kown from a very remote period, as is shown by the fact that bone needles have been found among the oldest remains of the Swiss lake dwellings, and in the caves of France and Great Britain which were frequented by man during the reindeer age. Some of these early needles were perforated in the middle—which was the thickest part—and others were pierced at the larger end. A French cavern has yielded needles much superior to those of the ancient Gauls and the ivory needles of the modern Esquimaux, especial skill having been applied to the boring of the eyes, which must have been done with a fine flint drill. The Swiss lake-dwellers used linen thread or bark fiber for sewing, and made garments from woven fabrics of linen and bark as well as from the skins of animals. The cave people employed a thread made from split tendons and perhaps strings of gut, and the fineness of some of their needles has suggested the probability that they performed some more delicate work than the sewing of skins.

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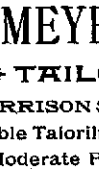

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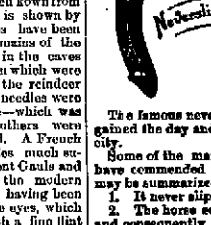

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SATURDAY, DEC. 20, 1890.

OUR CIRCULATION.

STATE OF INDIANA, ALLEN COUNTY, ss:

Personally appeared before me, clerk of the Allen circuit court, Jos. F. Ervin, business manager of THE FORT WAYNE SENTINEL, who makes oath that the actual number of copies of THE DAILY SENTINEL delivered to subscribers and sold to newsboys and news agents, during the week ending Saturday, Dec. 13, 1890, was as follows:

Monday, Dec. 8	2,902
Tuesday, Dec. 9	2,849
Wednesday, Dec. 10	2,871
Thursday, Dec. 11	2,941
Friday, Dec. 12	2,878
Saturday, Dec. 13	3,027
Total for the Week	**17,368**
Average for the Week	**2,895**

[Signed.] JOS. F. ERVIN.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of Dec., 1890. DANIEL W. SOUDER, Clerk.

THIS DAY IN THE PAST.

1745—Charles Edward retreated to Scotland.
1780—Declaration of war between England and Holland.
1791—Born in Nantucket, Mass., William Mitchell, astronomer; died April 19, 1868.
1843—Benjamin K. Emerson, naturalist, born in Nashua, N. H.
1848—Louis Napoleon proclaimed president of the French republic by vote of the people on Dec. 11.
1851—Louis Napoleon elected president of the French republic for ten years.
1860—South Carolina seceded from the Union.
1862—Gen. Van Dorn cut Grant's line of supplies at Holly Springs, Miss., and obliged him to retreat.
1862—Sherman embarked from Memphis with 30,000 men to begin operations against Vicksburg.
1865—Died, Samuel Ames, jurist, in Providence, R. I.; born there Sept. 6, 1806.
1867—The Fenians of Robert's and Stephens' factions in America unite under a common leadership.
1868—Lord Mayo appointed governor general of India.
1880—Died in London, England, Francis Trevelyan Buckland, naturalist, aged 54 years.
1888—In Buffalo, N. Y., James N. Matthews, proprietor of The Buffalo Express, died, aged 60 years.
1889—Mwanga, king of Uganda, Africa, replaced on his throne by the aid of missionaries.

TO-NIGHT.

G. A. R.—George Humphrey post, regular meeting.
MASONIC TEMPLE—Clemenceau Case.
WORLD'S MUSEUM—New attractions and stage performance.
PRINCESS RINK—Roller skating.

THE year is rapidly drawing to a close.

THE coming of Christmas can be seen on every hand.

THE railroad department Y. M. C. A. have issued an attractive holiday paper.

FRANCIS MURPHY commences a series of meetings at Indianapolis to-morrow.

HENRY M. STANLEY, the African explorer, lectured at Indianapolis last evening.

A GIRL ten years of age, of Muncie, has turned highwayman, and robs other girls whenever opportunity offers.

THE Ripley Independent, published at Batesville, Ind., has been sold to Donald McCallum, of Benham, who will assume control January 1.

A GHOST is haunting the waters in the vicinity of the Franklin street bridge at Michigan City, and none but the bravest venture near there after nightfall.

THIS city will probably have quite a real estate boom next spring. If so it will send up prices on property to a higher notch than they are at present.

THE Portland Sun says: "The Gazette and News, of Fort Wayne, are both in favor of Judge Gresham for the republican candidate for president in 1892. 'President Harrison cannot carry Indiana in 1892,' is what N. R. Leonard, editor of the Gazette, says."

THERE are now forty-four states in the union. The last six were admitted as follows: Montana, November 8, 1889; North Dakota, November 2, 1889; South Dakota, November 2, 1889; Washington, November 11, 1889; Idaho, July 3, 1890; Wyoming, July 10, 1890.

SUPERINTENDENT T. J. CHARLTON, of the reform school for boys, is so far improved that he is again "at the helm" at Plainfield. He says he feels like he might now hope to live to celebrate his centennial. There was a tremendous ovation awaiting the big-hearted superintendent on the part of the whole school and officers upon his reappearance.

PATRICK O'CONNOR, of Wichita, Kansas, the leader of the Cherokee strip colony, stated yesterday that there are now at least 300 families camping in the strip within twenty miles of Caldwell, and many coming every day. He said it was proposed to make an invasion on the 5th of next month, and make the fight for settlement until congress and Chief Mays would see it was important to hasten negotiations.

SUPREME COURT DECISIONS.

At Indianapolis yesterday, in the supreme court of the state, the case of the Barber Asphalt company against Joseph K. Edgerton, et al., was decided, the supreme court denying a rehearing. Unless the suit is taken to the United States supreme court, the Wayne street property owners, who have not done so, must pay their assessments for the new pavement.

This decision explains itself: Michael Baltes et al. vs. Bass foundry and machine works et al. Allen S. C. Reversed. Berkshire, J. (1) An award or judgment against one of several joint tort feasors will not bar an action against the others, as the cause of action is joint and several, and not joint. Nothing short of full satisfaction, or its equivalent, can make good a plea of former adjudication in such case. (2) Where arbitrators have completed their award and separated, their duties and powers are at an end, and if part of them afterwards abandon the original award and have another paper drawn up, which is treated by them as the award, the condition is the same as if there had been no award.

The supreme court sets aside an adverse ruling of the superior court and this leaves the controversy still unsettled.

STARTS IN GOOD SHAPE.

Successful Steps Taken for the Formation of a Y. M. C. A. Literary Society.

A meeting was held last evening in the parlors of the city department of the Young Men's Christian Association, for the purpose of taking initiatory steps for the formation of a literary society in connection with the Y. M. C. A. There were over twenty young men present. D. F. Bower was made chairman of the meeting, a temporary secretary appointed, and after a discussion of the matter, all present expressed themselves as heartily in favor of the movement, and it was voted to form such an organization. A committee consisting of Prof. M. A. Brannon, R. F. Calvert, Dr. John S. McCurdy, Geo. R. Hench and Frank Diddino, was appointed to draw up a constitution for the society and report at a meeting to be held next Friday evening at the same place.

It is the purpose of the society to hold their meetings one evening each week in the rooms of association. The object is the cultivation of the literary talents of the members and the program of their exercises will consist of debate, essays, orations, declamations, songs and other music. The membership will include ladies and gentlemen, and the public will always be welcomed to the meetings of the association. The nucleus that gathered last night to start the ball to rolling are active, energetic young men, and will make the new society a success. They unite in urging all who wish to join this new literary organization to attend the meeting next Friday evening and enroll their names as members. The constitution of the society will then be adopted and all will know just what this organization proposes to do. It will be a success and prove of great good to the young men and ladies of this city. Join it. You will be made welcome. Attend the meeting next Friday evening.

Tiddle de Wink.

Have you ever played played Tiddle de wink? If not, get a set and learn at once, as it will be the fashionable game this season. Progressive Tiddle de wink is now having quite a run in several of the larger cities and will strike us before long.

The game is not a difficult one to play and affords a great amount of amusement. The requisites are: A lay out, a small glass, a quantity of different colored chips of the size of a dime, a large chip for each color, a steady nerve and lots of patience. The play begins with No. 1, who places one of his small chips on the line and by pressing on its edge with the large chip, or flipper, attempts to flip it into the glass, which stands in the center of the lay out. As long as No. 1 is successful he can continue playing, but a failure to deposit a chip in the glass brings No. 2 into play. So the play goes one until all the chips of one player have been safely landed in the glass, and then the game is ended. If during the game a chip of one color falls on top of that of a different hue, the lower chip can not play until released, which can only be done by the top color, who proceeds playing his other chips until he has deposited them in the glass, and then returning for his last chip which holds the other a prisoner.

CORN SOCIAL.

A Pleasant Social Held at the Second Presbyterian Church.

The Aftermath society of the Second Presbyterian church held a very pleasant corn social in the parlors of the church last evening and a good crowd attended. Supper was served by the ladies from 6 to 6:30 o'clock with the following menu spread before the guests:

CORN MUSH (with milk).
"Corn maketh Men cheerful."—Zech. 9-17.
CORN GEMS.
"Comfort Thine Heart with a Normal of Bread."—Judg. 19-5.
CORN BREAD AND BAKED BEANS.
"They brought Corn Bread and Beans."—2nd Sam'l 17-28.
CORN BAKED INDIAN PUDDING.
"Go ye, carry Corn for the Famine of Thine House."—Gen. 42-7.
CORN BEEF AND CORN BREAD.
"Give them Meat in due Season."—Matt. 24-45.
CORN STARCH BLANC MANGE.
"Give Him the Fruit of thy Corn."—Deut. 18-4.
CORN CANNED.
"They did Eat of the old Corn of the Land."—Josh. 5-11.
CORN STARCH CAKE.
"Bake it on Pans and make Cake of it."—Numbers 11-18.
COFFEE.
"Do not Drink Wine or Strong Drink."—Lev. 10-9.

The bill of fare was printed on corn colored paper with yellow ribbon as a decoration and an ear of corn printed at the top. It was very handsome. After the supper the audience was entertained with instrumental music finely rendered by Mrs. D. F. Bower.

INSTANTLY KILLED

By Coming in Contact With a Live Electric Wire.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 19.—George Winn, superintendent of Allegheny City fire alarm and police patrol, electrical department, fell from the roof of a three story building on Manhattan street, at 1 o'clock this afternoon, and was instantly killed. It is thought that he came in contact with a live light wire and was knocked from the roof by a shock of electricity.

The common council will be in regular session next Tuesday evening.

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KOCH'S LYMPH.

The Patients Under Treatment at the Philadelphia Hospital.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 19.—The patient from Laramie, Wyoming, who is being treated with Koch's lymph at the Jefferson hospital, received another inoculation yesterday. The gentleman is suffering from incipient tuberculosis of the lungs and larynx, and following the injection of yesterday he exhibited the various symptoms described by Dr. Koch. The three patients being treated at the University of Pennsylvania exhibited slight reaction during yesterday, no other symptoms except those expected developed.

A Wonder Worker.

Mr. Frank Huffman, a young man of Burlington, Ohio, states that he had been under the care of two prominent physicians, and used their treatment until he was not able to get around. They pronounced his case to be Consumption and incurable. He was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds and at that time was not able to walk across the street without resting. He found, before he had used half of a dollar bottle, that he was much better; he continued to use it and is to-day enjoying good health. If you have any Throat, Lung or Chest Trouble try it. We guarantee satisfaction. Trial bottle free at Dreier & Bro.'s drug store.

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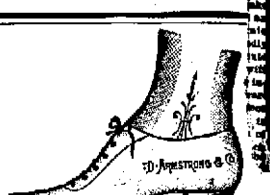

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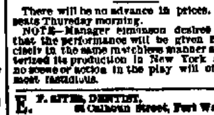

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SATURDAY'S SPARKS.

Small Bits of News and Personal Gossip as Heard Around the City's Busy Centers.

Robert Ryan has accepted a position in the American wheel works.

The employes of the electric light works received their wages to-day.

Thomas Powers has resigned his position in the moulding rooms of the Bass works.

J. Bitner has resumed his position in the Bass boiler shops, after a few days sickness.

Cal Baker and H. C. McKinley, of the electric light works, will spend the holidays at Kendallville.

Harry Johnson, road foreman of engineers on the Grand Rapids road, was in the city yesterday.

J. H. Kellogg, engineer on the east local of the Pittsburg road, is absent from duty on account of sickness.

The electric light works shipped a twenty-five arc light plant of the Wood system to Youngstown, Ohio to-day.

Frank Peigen has returned from Centerville, Iowa, where he was placing a gas holder for the Kerr Murray works.

Engineers J. Parrish and E. O. Bradley, of the Pittsburg road, have reported for duty after a few days' vacation.

Louis Witte, of the car wheel department of the Bass moulding rooms, is seriously sick at his home on John street.

I. G. Clark, formerly a fireman on the Grand Rapids road, has accepted a position in the machine department of the Bass works.

F. G. Weaver, fireman on the Pittsburg road, is off duty on account of sickness in his family, and Fireman M. J. Pocock has reported after a few days' sickness.

Mr. Lankman has accepted a position as bookkeeper in the offices of the electric light works. He formerly held a similar position with the Pape furniture company.

The passenger trains on the Pittsburg road, were several hours late yesterday and last night, on account of the deep snow which obstructed the track east of Crestline.

Thomas Martin, of the Pittsburg freight house, is recovering from injuries received by accidently falling from the platform and striking his head against a rail.

The members of the local lodge of the national association of machinists are making big preparations for their grand ball, to be given at Standard hall on New Year's eve.

James Lanigan, engineer on the Fort Wayne road, has been granted a lay-off. He will leave early next week for Philadelphia, New York and other points. He will be absent several weeks.

Joseph Harkenreider, of the east Pittsburg car shops, who has been absent from duty for six weeks, on account of sickness, is slowly recovering, and will be able to resume his duties in a short time.

John Harkenreider, foreman of the Pennsylvania car shops at Crestline, O., was in the city yesterday, called here on account of the death of his cousin, Joseph Grush. He returned home last evening.

C. Slagle and James Costigan, of the electric light offices, have each been presented with new ink stands of an artistic design. They were Christmas presents from lady friends, so the rest of the clerks say.

Ed. J. O'Connell, of the shop clerk's office of the Pittsburg shops, has returned from a trip to Chicago, where he accompanied his mother who left for an extensive trip to Arkansas and California.

P. W. O'Niel, A. Corcoran, Peter Haeck, J. W. and Edward Pegg, Geo. Cronmiller, J. Koeneman, M. W. Lauer and Elmer Bender, have accepted positions at the electric light works within the last week.

A new platform is being built on the east side of the new store room at the Electric light works to facilitate the loading of heavy dynamos into cars on the new side track which has been built from the Wabash track to the works.

F. A. Tegtmeyer, of the Pittsburg round house, is suffering from a badly injured finger. While on duty yesterday he accidentally left a heavy piece of iron fall on the first finger of his left hand, fracturing the bone. It will necessitate his absence from duty for a few weeks.

During the summer months when the large consignments of ice were being shipped over the Grand Rapids road, several engines from the Duluth, South Shore and Atlantic road were borrowed to help haul the freight. Four of them were returned yesterday and the rest will probably be returned in a few days.

George Threadgall, of the car wheel department of the Bass works, chaperoned a party of hunters out in the country to day. They left on the "cannon ball" express of the Wabash road and will go to Aboite station. They took a tent along and will probably remain a few days. They were accompanied by seven English grey hounds. They expect to bring home much wild game.

The International Brotherhood of Machine Moulders held their regular meeting in their rooms at the Knights of Labor hall last evening and elected officers to serve during the ensuing year. This organization is growing into popularity and now has quite a number of names on the membership list. The members and officers have worked hard in the interest of the association and it is now in a very prosperous condition.

Wm. J. Conolly, who for three years has made his home in this city, learning the machinist's trade in the Wabash shops, will spend the holidays with his mother at Logansport. After a short stay there he will be the guest of his uncle, Superintendent Stevens, of the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad, at Richmond, Ind. He will then take a course in a mechanical school at Indianapolis, after which he will accept a responsible position with the road. He is a young man of fine abilities, and his many friends in this city will wish him success. On the eve of his departure a reception will be given in his honor at his boarding place, 77 Douglass avenue.

The teachers in the public schools received their monthly salaries to-day.

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50 Silk Hand Painted Bolting end Throws 73c, worth $1.00.
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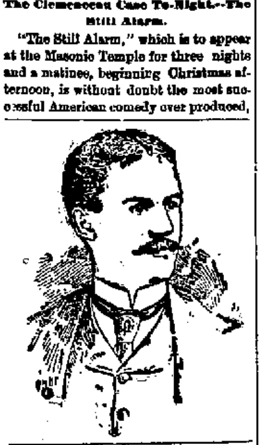
The Clemenceau Case To-Night--The Still Alarm.

"The Still Alarm," which is to appear at the Masonic Temple for three nights and a matinee, beginning Christmas afternoon, is without doubt the most successful American comedy ever produced,



and was played to crowded houses all over this country and in England. It is said to have the most realistic scene ever put on the stage, in the way of a real steam fire engine and real horses. It shows the departure of a fire engine to a fire in New York. In this scene the firemen slide down the poles from their beds in an upper story; two horses rush out to the waiting engine; harnesses are dropped on their backs as if by magic, and the steamer is off with sparks and smoke as the flying steeds go at a terrific gallop out of the station. Mr. Harry Lacy, an actor of excellent reputation, enacts the role of the hero fireman, Jack Manley, and is supported by an admirably balanced company.

THE CLEMENCEAU CASE.

The following dispatch appeared in the Boston Globe concerning "The Clemenceau Case," which appears at the Temple to-night:

LYNN, Nov. 27.—The announcement that W. A. Brady's five-act play, "The Clemenceau Case," was to be presented at the Lynn Theatre Thanksgiving caused a rush for tickets when the sale of seats opened and at the matinee performance there was between 900 and 1000 ladies and gentlemen present. The audience was a representative one. Miss Sybil Johnstone, who is seen as "Iza," was charming, and not one move was made that would cause even the most modest to blush.

DEATH COMES

To a Prominent Man Suddenly--The Grim Reaper's Work.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 19.—J. H. Stevenson, treasurer of the Delaware and Bound Brook railroad, was struck by a train on the Pennsylvania road near Fitler's station, yesterday, and fatally injured. He was brought to this city where he died at midnight.

CLAREMONT, N. H., Dec. 19.—Edwin Vaughn, probate judge, and late consul to Canada, died here yesterday.

PARIS, Dec. 19.—The death at Cannes of the widely known Belgian socialist, Cadeser de Pape, is announced.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Rev. Wm. Massan Molesworth, M. A., a well known author, is death.

Be sure and call for Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, if you are troubled with a bad cough or cold.

Mr. L. B. Kiefer, of Lancaster, Pa., wrote us:—Having a sprained leg of almost thirty days standing, and after trying half a dozen advertised preparations in the market without satisfactory results, I tried Salvation Oil, and in less than three days my leg was all right again. There's nothing like it.

Dr. W. J. Carter has returned from Findley, O.

The best medical writers claim that the successful remedy for nasal catarrh must be non-irritating, easy of application, and one that will reach all the remote sores and ulcerated surfaces. The history of the efforts to treat catarrh during the past obliges us to admit that only one remedy has met these conditions, and that is Ely's Cream Balm. This pleasant remedy has mastered catarrh as nothing else has ever done, and both physicians and patients freely concede this fact. The more distressing symptoms yield to it.

Holiday Excursions Via the Pennsylvania Lines.

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THE INDIANS BELIEVE

A New World is Coming in Which the White Men Will be Buffaloes and Elks.

J. M. Stouder, who owns a ranche near the Standing Rock agency in North Dakota, the scene of the present Indian troubles, and who for some years resided there, has received a letter from Wm. V. Wade, who is also operating a ranche in that country, giving a vivid description of the Indian's antics. Mr. Wade says the Indians believe that a new world is going to come and that they will then be restored to their ancient supremacy. This new world, they say, will be alive with buffaloes, deer, elks and all kinds of game and the white men will be crushed from the earth forever as men and be resurrected as buffaloes and elks for the Indians to hunt. To bring this happy time about they are taught that it is their duty to shoot and kill the white men as rapidly as possible. Mr. Stouder is greatly interested in the Indian troubles there and talks entertainingly about these western savages with whose habits and mode of life he is so well acquainted.

LOCAL LINES.

It is reported that "Jack, the Hugger," was at his pranks at the corner of Harrison and Highland streets last evening.

Miss Mollie McClure, teacher in the Washington school, has been absent from her duties this week on account of sickness.

Miss Bertie Homsher, of South Webster street, will leave for Detroit next Monday, to visit her sister, Mrs. E. Blanchard.

Alfred K. Irey is critically ill with inflammation of the stomach, and his recovery is doubtful. Mr. Irey is at his home, 86 Wells street.

J. H. Russell, Jackson, Mich.; Chas. Eckhart, Auburn; G. B. Work, Decatur, Ind., H. A. Rockwood, Concord, N. H., are at the Aldine.

Miss Miriam Cohen, teacher in the Hoagland school, entertained her pupils in a delightful way at her home on Webster street, this afternoon.

Mrs. Sidney Walker and her three-year-old son, of Portland, Oregon, who was visiting her aunt, Mrs. Joseph Harter, 170 West Main street, left for home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Chute, of Atlanta, Ga., are the guests of Mrs. Chute's sister, Mrs. Henry Orff, of West Creighton avenue. They will leave for their home next Monday.

Henry D. Wilner, Green Bay, Wis.; B. F. Thomas, Danbury, Conn.; E. D. Jordan, Payne, Ohio; M. B. Wells, Auburn, Ind.; H. A. Rome, Wooster, Ohio; George F. Card, Covington, Ky.; A. B. Mitchell, Indianapolis, are at the Aveline.

A lady residing on West Berry street, has been a sufferer from an ear trouble of late, and in search of relief she communicated with Dr. Knapp, an eminent aurist of New York city, asking his opinion as to the advisability of her going to that city for treatment. Dr. Knapp paid a flattering compliment to the professional ability of one of our specialists, right here at home, by recommending that she save herself the harassments of travel and the inconvenience of being away from home, by placing herself under the care of Dr. T. J. Dills, who, he guaranteed, would accomplish as much good for her case as any New York physician could. This instance goes to illustrate that some of Fort Wayne's professional talent has won a reputation national in its character. It is growing to be a matter of frequency that counsel is sought from the professional lights of this city.

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UNDER THE MISTLETOE.

BY F. C. D.

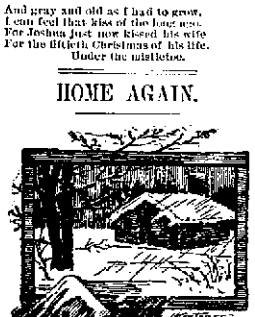
Boys were as blithe and girls were as gay
Fifty years since as they are to-day.
I was as chipper as most of the set
That paired and hoised to the minuet—
Fifty years ago.

Grandfather's house, on a Christmas night
Fifty years since, was ablaze with light.
Joshua caught and kissed me there,
Asked me a question, falsely and square,
Under the mistletoe.

Girls were as fair, and frickle were they,
Fifty years since as they are to-day.
Frickle was I as most of the set,
Who haven't answered the question yet—
Fifty years ago.

And gray and old as I had to grow,
I can feel that kiss of the long ago.
For Joshua just now kissed his wife
For the fiftieth Christmas of his life.
Under the mistletoe.

HOME AGAIN.



IT was Christmas Eve at the farmhouse at Chestnut Ridge. Snow was falling, too, thick and fast, covering the fields and meadows with a wintry carpet.

In the house, sitting around the broad hearth, was a group of brown-haired children, while in the corner, in a high-backed chair, sat an old man. This was Uncle Darby, as everybody called him.

And these were his grandchildren, come to spend the merry Christmas time at the old homestead, because, as little Amy expressed it, Santa Claus always brought them nicer presents at Chestnut Ridge than in their own little home in the city, because the chimney was so large and nice to come down in.

"Please, gran'pa, tell us a story." It was little Amy's voice that spoke, and she stole around and laid her curly head on his arm.

"Tell us about Uncle Charley," cried Freddie.

The old man sighed again—then tear after tear coursed down his furrowed cheeks.

"Charley was always a good boy, and I can't help it when I think of him."

"How long is it, gran'pa, since he went away?"

"Twenty-five years to-night." And the white head was bowed again, but only for a minute.

"He was about your age, Will. Your father was away learning his trade, and Charley and I were all alone. His mother died when he was a baby.

"It was very lonesome here, and I thought I was making Charley happier when I brought him a new mother. But they did not take to each other. Still, I never thought he was unhappy when he used to sit, evening after evening, just where Freddie is now, looking into the fire, and never speaking. But I know it all now.

"He thought nobody loved him. He thought the old father cared for nobody but his young wife. So he ran away one night when the wind was howling and the snow falling, just as it is to-night.

"He left a letter for me to tell me why he went away, and that was all. Ever since his stepmother died I've been hoping more than ever that he would come back. But he must be dead."

Suddenly there came a rap at the door, and Uncle Darby's trembling voice answered:

"Come in."

And a man, muffled up in overcoat and fur collar, entered the room, and stood, shaking the snow from his fur cap, while he asked if he could be furnished supper and lodging for the night.

"I reckon so, stranger. Come up to the fire," said Uncle Darby.

Then he called out to the housekeeper:

"Becky, here's a man wanting a bite to eat."

"Some miserable codger that ain't fit to be put into bed, I'll warrant," muttered the housekeeper.

But, instead of a "codger," she met a

CHRISTMAS MORNING.

well-dressed, fine-looking man. So she beat a hasty retreat to the kitchen, carrying with her the bowl of milk and bread she had brought, and returned, instead, with a substantial supper, which she placed, with a deferential courtesy, before the stranger.

He rose after he had finished, saying:

"I'll not trouble you for a bed. A sailor can sleep soundly anywhere. So I'll make this lounge my hammock for to-night, with your permission."

Amy ventured a timid remonstrance against this arrangement. Santa Claus would never come down, she said, if there was any one there to watch him.

"Never you fear that, little curly head," the stranger said, laughing. "He and I are the best of friends."

So it was settled that he should occupy the lounge.

Becky brought out some warm blankets; and after the stockings were hung in their place by the chimney, the children, and shortly after them the old man, retired to rest.

With the first faint light of the Christmas morn Will crept down stairs, and after scraping together the embers, he emptied the contents of his stocking on the floor. Then came the other children, and in the midst of their eager bustle to get to the bottom, Uncle Darby made his appearance, wishing them all a merry Christmas.

The children did seem disappointed, and the old man, who had done his best to please, looked grieved, until Will, from the toe of his stocking, drew forth a silver dollar.

Then, for the first time, a thought was given to the stranger. The children did not think of him even yet. They were busy exploring the depths of each pair of stockings to find a bright new dollar in each.

"He know we wouldn't take any pay, so he put it there," thought Uncle Darby, as he walked around to the lounge to ask the stranger if he had rested well.

But the lounge was unoccupied. The stranger had vanished.

"Well, I never!" exclaimed Becky. "What possessed him to go off in the night, as though he stole something?"

"He looked like an honest man," said Uncle Darby, as he sat down by the fire in his stocking feet.

When breakfast was ready Becky brought him the family Bible, and with little Amy standing by his side, Uncle Darby read a chapter from its pages, and with her kneeling beside him he offered up the simple morning prayer.

After the breakfast—plain and coarse for a Christmas morning—had been partaken of, Uncle Darby took his place in the corner and called for his shoes.

"OH GRAN' PA! GRAN' PA! THEY'RE CHUCK FULL OF MONEY."

They were under the lounge, and Freddie ran to get them.

"Oh, gran'pa! gran'pa! they're chuck full of money!"

And, sure enough, they were. Bright, crisp bills fresh from the bank.

"Don't touch it, Uncle Darby," said Becky; "it's counterfeit. Somebody's plottin' to ruin you," and her husband, who just then came in from the barn, re-echoed her words.

"I might just step down and show some of it to Stiles. He'll know," said Uncle Darby.

"Yes, and have you 'rested for tryin' to pass counterfeit money."

"Two thousand dollars! More than enough to pay—to pay——"

"To pay off the mortgage. Yes, if it's good for anything; but 'taint—my word for that!" said Becky.

Uncle Darby took out two of the bills, and rolling the rest up locked them in his desk. Then with Will's help, he was soon ready to go out.

"You go, too, Will," said Becky, seeing the old man could not be dissuaded from going; "and if anything happens come right back and let us know."

In half an hour Uncle Darby came back again, with Will drawing a handsled on which a huge turkey with half a dozen paper-covered parcels was tied. Uncle Darby said not a word, but went straight to the desk, and putting the roll of bank bills in his pocket turned to go out again.

"Where now, Uncle Darby?" asked Becky, her eyes wide open with wonderment.

"To Horton's to pay him off. Roast the turkey and make a pudding, Becky. I shall eat Christmas dinner a free man once more."

"Then the money is good. What made the man give it to you?"

"It's the Lord's doings, Becky. We don't understand His ways," answered Uncle Darby, earnestly and solemnly. The heavy debt that had troubled Uncle Darby so sorely for years was paid at last. The china set and the cut glass and silver spoons had been brought out from the dark closet, and the dinner, after a deal of concern on the part of Becky, was pronounced ready at last, when, just as all were in readiness, the older ones were thrown into the wildest excitement by the appearance of their lodger of the previous night. He strove up in a sleigh drawn by a pair of rocking horses. But he was not alone—a lady and two children were with him. "He has come for the money."

"He never meant to give it to you, Uncle Darby," said Becky, wringing her hands and falling back to her husband's side.

"Oh! what will become of me?" moaned Uncle Darby, as he sank down heavily in his chair, pale and horror-stricken. And he sat there staring blankly at the door when the stranger entered it.

"Father, twenty-five years ago I left you and a cloud settled over your merry Christmas time. I have returned to make this Christmas Day and your whole life happy."

"My son! my son!" and the thin hands were raised imploringly, and in a moment the white head was bowed over the form that knelt at its days long past at his feet.

"A MAN MUFFLED UP IN OVERCOAT AND FUR COLLAR ENTERED THE ROOM."

FUR FOR HEAD-GEAR.

IT IS THE NOVELTY IN MID-WINTER MILLINERY.

Russian Turbans Popular—The Broad Hat of the Czar's Kingdom Also in Style—Sleet and Jet Still in Favor.

HE time, according to the calendar, for the mid-winter novelties in millinery to appear has arrived, and the novelties are with us in the shape of artistically mingled feathers and furs, flowers and velvet. The pronounced and distinguishing feature of the new headgear is fur. The Russian turban, illustrated at the head of the column, is one of the most stylish of the new midwinter shapes. The crown is of ecru brown cloth, exquisitely fine and soft, arranged in long soft folds. About the edge is a three-inch band of sea otter. In the back are long donkey ears of velvet of golden brown, carrying out the lighter color of the cloth crown, intermixed with those of otter faced with the velvet. Flat loops of velvet are arranged to fall from this cluster of trimmings on the hair.

The second illustration shows the Russian large hat, with its stiff brim bent V-shaped in the front and turned up in the back, giving it a piquant, tip-tilted effect. The brim is of cloth

RUSSIAN HAT AND BROAD HAT.

in the shade known as Stanley brown, and is faced with velvet a shade darker. The medium crown is of sea otter. This hat is especially suited to the fresh face of a young girl.

The stiff-brim broad hat in the same illustration shows the new and now very popular combination of brown and gray.

The French toque holds its place in popular favor and appears in, if possible, prettier forms than ever before. As seen in the last illustration, one of these is in light gray velvet with the crown covered with a spider-web of jet, and, by the way, this spider-web of jet is one of the most popular Parisian novelties for crowns, and is particularly dainty and effective. Above the edge of this toque and below the crown is a twist of rich, dark seal-brown velvet. A cluster of parrot tulips in gray velvet, together with a donkey-ear bow, trims the back. The other toque is of a light and delicate shade of turquoise velvet with the crown covered with a spider-web of jet. About the edge is an astrakhan band, so placed as to have a soft, irregular appearance. The

THE FRENCH TOQUE.

trimming is a cluster of ostrich tips the color of the velvet, with a black aigrette in the center and ears of the turquoise velvet lined with black.

A DEMOCRATIC MASCOT.

Governor-Elect Pattison, of Pennsylvania.

Robert Emory Pattison, since his second election to the Governorship of Pennsylvania, is looked upon by his friends in the Keystone State and elsewhere as the possible Democratic nominee for President in 1892. Governor Pattison's political career has been a remarkable one for so young a man. At 27 years of age he was nominated by the Democrats for Controller of the city of Philadelphia, and was elected by 2,000 majority. Two

GOV. PATTISON.

years later he stood for a second term, and was chosen by a majority of 13,500, although Garfield, at the same election, carried the city by 20,000 votes. In 1882 the Democrats of Pennsylvania, concluding that they had a mascot in their midst, put him forward for Governor, and he was elected over General Beaver by a plurality of 40,000. Pattison became Governor at 33 years, and was the youngest Executive the State ever had. In 1890 the Democrats again turned to their mascot, and named him a second time for Governor. Again he defeated his Republican opponent in one of the strongest Republican States in the Union. Governor Pattison is a bank President, but he is not a rich man. His salary is said to be $10,000 a year. He lives in his own house, a modest, brick dwelling which cost him $12,500. He is essentially domestic in his tastes, and is never at the club. Governor Pattison is a very handsome man. A fine, strong, swarthy face, a straight nose, dark-brown eyes, penetrating and expressive, black hair, plentiful and not often carefully combed, a firm but pleasant voice, decisive, aggressive jaws are features which one notes at once. His attire is plain, almost to simplicity; his manners are quiet, direct, wholesome, polite without effusiveness. Enter his door—there is no lackey, no cards are demanded, all comers may open and walk in—and he rises and advances to meet you, be you friend or stranger. He stands six feet two and weighs 210 pounds.

Something Wrong About His Dress.

Here is a case of absent-mindedness which caused the victim a good deal of embarrassment, although, as he afterward said in a melancholy tone, he might have fared worse than he did.

F—— was to attend a theater party one evening, and went home rather early to dress. He ascended the steps of the house where he was to join his friends only about half an hour before the time set for starting for the theater. When the maid opened the door he stepped in and, unbuttoning his overcoat, threw it back. She looked at him in a peculiar way, and then turned her head quickly, as if she were trying to hide a smile.

F—— happened to look down at his shoes, and then said hurriedly to the maid:

"Oh, you needn't announce me yet, and don't say anything about this; that's a good girl."

He hurried out again and rushed for a cab.

"Drive as rapidly as you can," he said breathlessly.

He startled his family by bustling into the house like a tempest.

"What's the matter, Will?" asked his mother: "you will be late, won't you?"

"What's the matter!" cried F——. "Look at me!" and he threw off his overcoat. He was in evening dress—that is, he supposed that he was. But when dressing he had put on, in a fit of absent-mindedness, a pair of light-checked trousers. The combination of evening dress as regards coat and waistcoat and immaculate shirt front and light-colored trousers was so ludicrous that F——'s brother simply roared with laughter. F——, however, had torn upstairs to dress himself properly. He was downstairs in a wink. His brother followed him out to the cab, and as the vehicle whisked away, F—— stuck his head out the window, and said:

"Great Scott, suppose I had gotten into that room full of people before I discovered how I was dressed."

He was a little late, but very contented to escape so lightly.—*New York Tribune.*

South Africa.

South Africa is the only country where, in a temperate climate and under climatic conditions admirably suited to both, the European and the negro are engaged in a struggle for the mastery and for occupation of the land, not by force of arms, but by the silent process of natural selection, which, if it does its work with less noise, is far more effectual. The conflict is going on, and civilization or barbarism depend on the result, which is not quite so certain as those who belong to the superior race could wish it to be.

In the West Indies the negro has won, but there the climate was against the Europeans. In the Southern States of America the same battle is going on, but there sixty millions of Europeans surround seven millions of negroes, and yet under these conditions the question is full of difficulty and danger.

In South Africa the proportion is reversed; half a million of Europeans live in the midst of three millions of black folk, who are backed up by a great reservoir of barbarism, from which re-enforcements in the shape of laborers are constantly being pushed down to the South to share the means of subsistence with the black, brown and white races already on the soil. The natives, under the peace kept by the Europeans, increase, apart from the immigration mentioned above, according to the evidence of statistics, far more rapidly than does the white population. They drift into and fill up the country in a silent way that can only be compared to the flowing of the tide.

A Stern Rebuke from the Bench.

"It surprises me to see a young man like you here," said a Texas judge to a fellow who had been brought before the police court for being drunk and disorderly the night before. "You filled yourself with an enemy that committed petit larceny on your brains."

"Very sorry, Judge."

"Now, here you are," continued the Court, in severe tones, "a young man of intelligence, with good clothes on, barring a grease spot on the elbow where you rested it in the lunch table soup. You doubtless have a mother and sisters who think a good deal more of you than I do."

"Family's all right," whimpered the culprit.

"You've been sent to school and taught how to earn a good living. In return for all this you go whooping around the streets at midnight, tearing down signs and making an ass of yourself generally. Is that like the conduct of a reasonable creature?"

"No, Judge, it is not."

"Of course it ain't. Now I'm going to teach you a lesson, young man, and you will thank me for it some day. You needn't turn pale and whimper; that won't do you any good. Have you got any chewing tobacco about you?"

"Here's a bit of navy plug, your Honor."

"Thank you. Take my advice—chew more and drink less, as I do. You're discharged."

"What?"

"Discharged, I said, and the next time you are tempted to take a drink—Eh? Go out and join you? Well, I don't care if I do. Court stands adjourned till to morrow morning."—*Texas Siftings.*

PEOPLE have no idea of the fatal speed of express trains. It is a common thing to see their buffers bespattered with blood after a long and quick run. The noise of their approach disturbs the small birds from the hedgerows, and as they fly across the line along comes the thunderer at a speed of which they have no conception and dashes them to pieces.

Pioneer in Edge Tools.

There had been some progress in the colonies since 1731 in the secondary manufacture of their native iron. The chief branch of this industry was the conversion of bars into nail-rods at the "slitting mills," as they were called.

These nail-rods were dovetailed into many sorts of domestic manufactures. Small nails, indeed, could be imported cheaper than they could be made by hand, but ordinary nails and spikes were the common offwork of blacksmiths.

Old diaries show many days spent in nailmaking. Farmers, too, would employ their winter evenings in shaping rods into nails by the fireside. To supply the nail-rods there were, in 1650, two slitting mills in Middleboro, one in Hanover, one in Milton, and Massachusetts had one plating forge with a tilt hammer and one steel furnace.

With the tilt hammer iron bars would be worked into anchors and various forgings needed in shipbuilding. This was one of the industries which the British manufacturers were determined to destroy, and the act of 1750 prohibited the erection of slitting mills in the colonies.

The most conspicuous American iron worker in the eighteenth century was Hugh Orr, of Bridgeport. He was the pioneer in the fabrication of edge tools. He introduced the trip hammer, and the manufacture of scythes and axes followed.

In the year 1748 he made 500 stand of arms for the province. It is worth remembering that Orr was very serviceable to the colonists by casting and boring cannon during the revolution.

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A Point in Manliness.

Learn to be a man of your word. One of the most disheartening of all things is to be associated in an undertaking with a person whose promise is not to be depended upon; and there are plenty of them in this wide world—people whose promise is as slender a tie as a spider's web.

Let your given word be as a hempen cord, a chain of wrought steel, that will bear the heaviest sort of strain. It will go far toward making a man out of you; and a real man is the noblest work of God; not a lump of moist putty, molded and shaped by the last influence met with that was calculated to make an impression, but a man of forceful, energized, self-reliant, and reliable character, a positive quantity that can be calculated upon.

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"Now, do take care of yourself until you get home again, won't you, Charlie, dear?"—*Somerville Journal.*

LADIES, attention! Many readers of this paper are wearing the shoulder cape, now in fashion, we hereby advise them to make dog blankets of them—or throw them to the dogs—and adopt a more sensible and safer outer garment. These abominable abridgements of hygeine decency invite internal neuralgia, lumbago, pleurisy, rheumatism, consumption and pneumonia, and already promise to make more business for physicians than any other folly or fashion for a long time.—*Dr. Foote's Health Monthly.*

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THE FIELD OF LABOR.

ONGANIZING CHICAGO'S BUILDING TRADES.

Some Suggestions for Making Labor Organizations Effective—What Francis Allen Moore and Mr. Wright Say—Notes of Interest to Those Who Toil.

To make labor organizations effective Francis A. Moore comes forward with a new suggestion. "I will give a programe," said he, "for every town and district. The existing trade unions are working in a dead-and-alive way upon the old, old lines. For purposes of condensation I will confine my remarks to the large and general building trades. Let half a dozen intelligent and clear-headed workmen belonging to each district meet and form a secret committee of the district branch of what I will call "the Labor League." Each committee will prepare a complete list of employers in each district, and if any of these employers are known to be acting in opposition to the principles of our labor league as regards systematic overtime, underpay, sweating, and driving, arrogant and overbearing foremen, insanitary workshops, etc., then such employer or employers will be duly warned, by letter from the committee, that if the objectionable practices are not discontinued a full printed representation of the circumstances will be sent to all their best customers and parties under whom they carry out contracts. As a matter of sheer fact I have on more than one occasion stopped the hateful system of protracted overtime in a firm by the simple expedient of constituting myself into a committee (with the approval of my fellow workmen) and writing the firm of employers upon the lines aforementioned."

To Control the Trade.

An important movement is being inaugurated for the formation of a building trades' council to comprise delegates from the various unions of the building trades of Chicago, including the bricklayers, carpenters, architectural, ironworkers, cornice-makers, plasters, lathers, hodcarriers, painters and others. When completed this council will represent fully 80,000 members of various unions and will be one of the most powerful organizations for good that was ever formed in the West. It will have absolute control of the building trades of Chicago. A preliminary meeting has already been held and satisfactory progress made. It is hoped to have everything in working order before the beginning of the new year so that fair notice may be given to the employers. It is expected that the next year will witness the greatest movement in the building line that Chicago has ever had, and the unions recognize the necessity for thorough organization so as to be able to control the trade.

Industrial Notes.

POWDERLY only eats two meals a day—and they are light.

THE New York Central Railroad has twenty-six women employed as station agents, it is said.

THE heirs of a wealthy Austrian have given $15,000 to found a school of housekeeping for girls.

THE total production of steel rails at all the mills in this country for the current year will probably run 400,000 tons ahead of 1889's figures.

WITHIN 62 years Mexico has had 54 Presidents, one regency and one empire, and nearly every change of government has been effected by violence.

JAPAN, it appears, has already over 1,000 miles of railroad in operation, while as many more miles are under construction or being surveyed.

ACCORDING to the annual report of the Pullman Palace Car Company, 5,023,057 persons were carried in their cars last year, against 4,342,642 the year before.

COUNT VON MOLTKE has adopted the eight-hour rule for the laborers on his estate at Crisau, and is said to be well satisfied with the result of his experiment.

IN Paris, out of the 2,700,000 residents it is calculated that one in eighteen, or 150,000, live on charity with a tendency toward crime. In London the proportion is one in thirty.

LABOR COMMISSIONER PECK, of New York: "Time was when the relation of employer and employed were such that the will of the employer was absolute and self-assertion was impossible."

LAST year the most notorious trust was the Bread Union in London. It took in all the important bakers, 277 in number, in the metropolis. The failure and entire dissolution of the trust is now announced.

A REPORT from Berlin states that the shoe manufacturers at Erfurth have declared a lockout in consequence of a dispute arising from the dismissal of a workman. Three thousand men are thrown out of employment.

THE British South Africa Company, it is reported, has proposed to its employes that any servant discovering a mine in the country covered by the Company's charter will be made a coproprietor of it with the Company.

THE wages of the freight engineers and firemen of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad have been increased 20 cents a day. The engineers are advanced from $3.50 to $3.70, and the firemen from $1.65 to $1.85.

ONE thing that should be looked after by the railroad employes of this country is the employment of boys and girls—cheap labor—in the telegraph offices on the different lines of railroad. We have in mind one line of railroad over 400 miles in length, which has in its employ two-thirds of this class of operators, and pays them on an average of $25 a month, and they perform the duties of station agent also. It is positively dangerous to work in the train service of such a company.

GERMANY employs 5,500,000 women in industrial pursuits, England, 4,000,000, France 3,750,000 and Austro-Hungary about the same number, and still women are the weaker sex, the lesser half, the clinging pensioners on man's beneficence.

MEETINGS were held throughout Belgium in favor of an eight-hour workingday and universal suffrage. Many speakers advocated a Belgian Republic. Money was collected in anticipation of a general strike. Bills were thrown over the barrack walls in Brussels, urging the soldiers to co-operate with the workingmen.

SAID A. W. Wright, of the Knights of Labor, in a recent address: "The labor agitators, as they are called, are trying to organize the working people for their own interests, and yet you will hear the manufacturers say 'labor organizations are all right if it were not for the labor agitators.' That is what the slave owners said about Wendell Phillips and Garrison. But we labor agitators propose to keep on with our work of making the working people dissatisfied with their condition when their condition is not what it should be."

Not Such a Great Danger.

General Greely, in his annual talk about the weather, gives some space to showing that tornadoes are not quite so bad as they are made out. For one thing he notes they are not so destructive to life as thunder storms, and quotes in support of this dictum the annual reports for eighteen years, which show 102 deaths annually from tornadoes, while in this present year just the same number was killed by lightning in the period from March to August, the latter list also being notoriously incomplete, especially in the Southern States. Rather more comforting, than this comparison of one large list of deaths with another still larger, are the conclusions that in no State may a destructive tornado be expected oftener than once in two years, and that the chance of personal injury or loss of property is really very small. He says that the published accounts are almost grossly exaggerated, and cites one case in which a month after the storm the loss of life was reported as 500, whereas it was really 135. He calls particular attention to the uniformly narrow path of these destructive tornadoes, those that work great damage.

The territory affected is usually short, as well as narrow, so that even if it were known that one would strike tomorrow in a certain State the chance of danger to any particular inhabitant would be exceedingly small. The report does not go into figures on this point, but here is an illustration: Take for instance, the State of Kansas, and assume a tornado which follows the surface for a mile and cuts a path two hundred feet wide. This is a big one. The State contains 81,818 square miles, and the area assumed as covered by the tornado is one-twenty-sixth of a mile. Consequently the chance of the tornado striking any particular spot of that area in the State would be about one in twenty millions. So much for the individual chances.

On the other hand the total damage in the country in a year is great. The record for eighteen years shows 2,000 tornadoes, or violent storms, which killed 1,071 people and destroyed $23,000,000 worth of property, while in the most violent class there were fifty-eight, which killed 755 people and destroyed property to the value of $11,894,700. Nervous readers will do well to fix their minds on the two points, of the very small number of deaths each year and the extreme improbability of a destructive tornado hitting any designated spot.—*Hartford Courant.*

How to Treat Servants.

The servant girl question was under debate in a coterie of ladies up town, and bitter words were spoken by some of the housekeepers when telling of their troubles with housemaids, scullerymaids, nurserymaids, chambermaids, and kitchenmaids. The strain of bitterness was interrupted by one of the ladies who said: "I never have any trouble with my domestic help. I keep a housemaid and a cook, who have been with me for five years, and I do not known that they are extraordinary specimens. One of them is an Irish-American, the other a German. They say that I treat them well. I do not overwork them or keep them at service from dawn till midnight. I don't scold them for every fault. I have a nice bedroom for them and they keep it neat. I let them go off in the daytime once or twice every week to take a walk or to visit their friends or to do their shopping. I talk to them at times about their gowns, bonnets, shawls, and ruffles. I see that they have something else than scraps or leavings to eat. I pay them their wages on the first of every month. I help them to do things now and then. They give me their confidence. I show them that I take an interest in them and my husband is considerate toward them. I don't believe they will ever leave our household till they get married, and my cook is a widow who says she will never marry again. I cannot see why so many people should have so much trouble with their domestic help or talk so often about the servant girl question." The ladies in the coterie to which this contented housekeeper thus spoke did not feel very well when her words were ended, and soon left for their respective abodes with a new notion under their blooming bonnets.—*New York Sun.*

How an Electric Car Is Moved.

The dynamo which generates the current does so by the revolution of a coil of wire near the poles of a magnet, the force which revolves the coil being derived from the engine. The current then passes over the wires, down the trolley, which surmounts each car, to a small motor. This motor has an armature consisting of coils of wire traversed by an electrical current, which is attracted in succession to the poles of the stationary coils called the field magnets, through which the current also flows, flies around and transmits its motion, by means of cog wheels, to the axle of the car. The driver of the car, by the use of a lever, turns the current into the motor beneath the car or diverts it to the rails at will. In the conduit system the current passes along the wire, with which connection is made, into the motor on the car and then put out through the wheels of the rails and then back to the central dynamo.

Cloth Made of Glass.

M. Dubas Conet, of Lille, France, has invented a process of spinning and weaving glass into cloth. The warp is composed of silk, forming the body and ground work on which the pattern in glass appears. The requisite flexibility of glass thread for manufacturing purposes is to be ascribed to its extreme fineness, as not less than fifty or sixty of the original threads (spun by steam power) are required to form one thread used in the weft of the cloth. The process of weaving glass cloth is very slow and tedious, no more than a yard of the cloth coming from one loom in twelve hours. The work, however, is extremely beautiful, and considering the work put upon it, is comparatively cheap.—*Chicago Tribune.*

Not the Man He Was Once.

Bingley—I rode all the way down town this morning by the side of an old fellow who carried a big fat pocketbook in the outside pocket of his overcoat. I could have taken it as easily as not.

Stumm—And didn't you?

(Indignatly)—what do you take me for? Of course not!

(Compassionately)—Bingley, you've lost your nerve. You're not the man you used to be.

"I WISH I had his happy disposition. He never seems to have anything on his mind at all." "But you should remember that there is not room for much."

CEDARS OF LEBANON.

DR. TALMAGE'S TWELFTH SERMON ON THE HOLY LAND.

A Hundred Thousand Axmen Massacred the Great Forest, But a Few Trees Still Attest its Magnificence—Why the Hebrew Poets Often Referred to the Cedars.

In the Brooklyn Academy of Music Dr. Talmage preached the twelfth sermon of his series on Palestine and the adjoining countries. Dr. Talmage announced as his text Psalms civ, 16. "The cedars of Lebanon which he hath planted," and preached the following sermon:

In our journey we change stirrup for wheel. It is 4 o'clock in the morning at Damascus, Syria, and we are among the lanterns of the hostelry waiting for the stage to start. A Mohammedan in high life is putting his three wives on board within an appartment by themselves, and our party occupy the main apartment of one of the most uncomfortable vehicles in which mortals were ever jammed and half strangulated. But we must not let the discomforts annul or disparage the opportunities. We are rolling on and out and up the mountains of Lebanon, their forehead under a crown of snow, which coronat the fingers of the hottest summer cannot cast down.

We are ascending heights around which is garlanded much of the finest poesy of the Scriptures, and are rising toward the mightiest dominion that botany ever recognized, reigned over by the most imperial tree that ever swayed a leafy scepter—the Lebanon cedar; a tree eulogized in my text of having grown from a nut put into the ground by God himself, and no human hand had anything to do with its planting: "The trees of Lebanon which he hath planted."

The average height of this mountain is seven thousand feet, but in one place it lifts its head to an altitude of ten thousand. No higher than six thousand feet can vegetation exist, but below that line at the right season are vineyards and orchards and olive groves and flowers that dash the mountain side with a very carnage of color, and fill the air with aromatics that Hosea, the prophet, and Solomon, the King, celebrated as "the smell of Lebanon." At a height of six thousand feet is a grove of cedars, the only descendants of those vast forests from which Solomon cut his timber for the temple at Jerusalem, and where at one time there were one hundred thousand axmen hewing out the beams from which great cities were constructed.

But this nation of trees has by human iconoclasm been massacred until only a small group is left. This race of giants is nearly extinct, but I have no doubt that some of these were here when Hiram, King of Tyre, ordered the assassination of those cedars of Lebanon which the Lord planted.

The ax is slaying the forests all round the earth. To stop the slaughter God opened the coal mines of England and Scotland and America and the world, practically saying by that, "Here is fuel; as far as possible let my trees alone." And by opening for the human race the great quarries of granite and showing the human family how to make brick God is practically saying, "Here is building material; let my trees alone." We had better stop the axes among the Adirondacks. We had better stop the axes in all our forests, as it would have been better for Syria if the axes had long ago been stopped among the mountains of Lebanon.

To punish us for our reckless assault on the forests we have the disordered seasons; now the droughts, because the uplifted arms of the trees do not pray for rain, their presence according to all scientists disposing the descent of the showers, and then we have the cyclones and the hurricanes multiplied in number and velocity, because there is nothing to prevent their awful sweep.

As we ride along on these mountains of Lebanon we bethink how its cedars spread their branches and breathe their aroma and cast their shadows all through the Bible. Solomon discoursed about them in his botanical works when he spoke of trees "from the cedar tree that is in Lebanon, even unto the hyssop that springeth out of the wall." The Psalmist says, "The righteous shall grow like a cedar in Lebanon," and in one of his magnificent doxologies calls on the cedars to praise the Lord. And Solomon says the countenance of Christ is excellent as the cedars, and Isaiah declares, "The day of the Lord shall be upon all the cedars of Lebanon." And Jeremiah, and Ezekiel, and Amos, and Zephaniah, and Zechariah weave its foliage into their sublimest utterances.

As we ride over Lebanon to-day there is a howling wind sweeping past and a dash of rain, all the better enabling us to appreciate that description of a tempest, which no doubt was suggested by what David had seen with his own eyes among these heights, for as a soldier he carried his wars clear up to Damascus, and such a poet as he, I warrant, spent many a day on Lebanon. And perhaps while he was seated on this very rock against which our carriage jolts he writes that wonderful description of a thunder storm: "The voice of the Lord is powerful. The voice of the Lord is full of majesty. The voice of the Lord breaketh the cedars of Lebanon. Yea, the Lord breaketh the cedars of Lebanon. He maketh them also to skip like a calf, Lebanon and Sirion like a young unicorn. The voice of the Lord divideth the flames of fire."

As the lion is the monarch of the fields and behemoth the monarch of the waters, the cedar is the monarch of the trees. And I think one reason why it is so glorified all up and down the Bible is because we need more of its characteristics in our religious life. We have too much of the willow, and are easily bent this way or that; too much of the aspen, and we tremble under every zephyr of assault; too much of the bramble tree, and our sharp points sting and wound; but not enough of the cedar, wide branched and heaven aspiring and tempest grappling. But the reason these cedar stand so well is that they are deep rooted. They run their anchors down into the caverns of the mountain and fasten to the very foundations of the earth, and twist around and clinch themselves on the other side of the deepest layer of rock they can reach. And that is the difference between Christians who stand and Christians who fall. It is the difference between a superficial character and one that has clutched its roots deep down around and under the Rock of Ages.

One of the Lebanon cedars was examined by a scientist, and from its concentric circles it was found to be thirty-five hundred years old and still standing; and there is such a thing as everlasting strength, and such a staunchness of Christian character that all time and all eternity, instead of being its demolition, shall be its opportunity. Not such are those vascillating Christians who are so pious on Sunday that they have no religion left for the weekday. As the anaconda gorges itself with food and then seems for a long time to lie thoroughly insensible, so there are men who will on Sunday get such a religious surfeit that the rest of the week they seem thoroughly dead to all religious emotion.

They weep in church under a charity sermon, but if on Monday a subject of want presents itself at the door the beggar's safety will depend entirely on quick limbs and an unobstructed stairway. It takes all the grace they can get to keep them from committing assault and battery on those intruders who come with pale faces and stories of distress and subscription papers. The reason that God planted these cedars in the Bible was to suggest that we ought, in our religious character, to be deep like the cedar, high like the cedar, broad-branched as the cedar.

But what has been the history of most of the great cedars in merchandise, in art, in law, in medicine, in statesmanship, in Christian usefulness? "John, get up and milk the cows; it's late: it's half past 5 in the morning. Split an armful of wood on your way out, so that we can build the fires for breakfast. Put your bare feet on the cold oil cloth and break the ice in your pitcher before you can wash. Yes, it has been snowing and drifting again last night, and we will have to break the roads." The boy's educational advantages, the long oak plank without any back to it in the country school house, and stove throwing out more smoke than heat. Pressing on from one hardship to another.

After a while a position on salary or wages small enough to keep life, but keep it at its lowest ebb. Starting in occupation or business with prosperous men trying to fight you back at every step. But after a good while fairly on your feet, and your opportunities widening, and then by some sudden turn you are triumphant. You are master of the situation and defiant of all earth and hell. A Lebanon cedar! John Milton on his way up to the throne of the world's sacred poesy must sell his copyright of "Paradise Lost" for seventy-two dollars in three payments. And William Shakespeare, on his way up to be acknowledged the greatest dramatist of all ages, must hold horses at the door of the London theatre for a sixpence, and Homer must struggle through total blindness to immortality, and John Bunyan must cheer himself on the way up by making a flute out of his prison stool, and Canova, the sculptor, must toil on through orphanage, modeling a lion in butter before he could cut his statues in marble. And the great Stephenson must watch cows in the field for a few pennies and then become a stoker, and afterward mend clocks before he puts the locomotive on its track, and calls forth plaudits from parliaments and medals from kings. Abel Stevens is picked up a neglected child of the street, and rises through his consecrated genius to be one of the most illustrious clergymen and historians of the century. And Bishop Janes of the same church in boyhood worked his passage from Ireland to America and up to usefulness, where, in the bishopric, he was second to no one who ever adorned it.

While in banishment Xenophon wrote his "Anabasis" and Thucydides his "History of the Peloponnesian War," and Victor Hugo must be exiled for many years to the island of Guernsey before he can come to that height in the affections of his countrymen that crowds the Champs Elysees, and the adjoining boulevards with one million mourners, as his hearse rolls down the Church of the Madeleine. Oh, it is a tough old world, and it will keep you back and keep you down and keep you under as long as it can.

Thirty years from now the foremost men in all occupations and professions will be those who are this hour in awful struggle of early life, many of them without five dollars to their name. So in spiritual life it takes a course of bereavements, persecutions, sicknesses, and losses to develop stalwart Christian character. I got a letter a few days ago saying: "I have hardly seen a well day since I was born, and I could not write my own name until I was fifty years of age, and I am very poor; but I am, by the grace of God, the happiest man in Chicago."

The Bible speaks of the snows of Lebanon, and at this season of the year the snows there must be tremendous. The deepest snow ever seen in America would be insignificant compared with the mildest winter of snows on those Lebanon mountains. The cedars catch that skyfull of crystals on their brow and on their long arms. Piled up in great heaps are those snows, enough to crush other trees to the ground, splitting the branches from the trunk and leaving them rent and torn, never to rise. But what do the cedars care for these snows on Lebanon? They look up to the winter skies an say: "Snow on! Empty the white heavens upon us, and when the storm is passed let other processions of tempest try to bury us in their fury. We have for 500 winters been accustomed to this, and for the next 500 winters we will cheerfully take all you have to send; for that is the way we develop our strength, and that is the way we serve God and teach all ages how to endure and conquer." So I say: Good cheer to all people who are snowed under! Put your faith in God and you will come out gloriously. Others may be stunted growths, or weak junipers on the lower levels of spirituality, but you are going to be Lebanon cedars. At last it will be said of such as you: "These are they who came out of great tribulation and made white in the blood of the Lamb."

But while crossing over those mountains of Lebanon I bethink myself of what an exciting scene it must be when one of the cedars does fall. It does not go down like other trees, with a slight crackle that hardly makes the woodsman look up, or a hawk flutter from a neighboring bough. When a cedar falls it is the great event in the calendar of the mountains. The axmen fly. The wild beasts slink to their dens. The partridges swoop to the valley for escape. The neighboring trees go down under the awful weight of the descending monarch. The rocks are moved out of their places, and the earth trembles as from miles around the ravines send back their sympathetic echoes. Crash! crash! crash! So when the great cedars of worldly or Christian influence fall, it is something terrific. Within the past few years how many mighty and overtopping men have gone down!

There seems to be an epidemic of moral disaster. The moral world, the religious world, the political world, the commercial world are quaking with the fall of Lebanon cedars. It is awful. We are compelled to cry out with Zachariah, the prophet, "Howl, fir trees, for the cedar is fallen!" Some of the smaller trees are glad of it. When some great dealer in stocks goes down the small dealers clap their hands and say, "Good for him!" When a great political leader goes down the small politicians clap their hands and say, "Just as I expected!" When a great minister of religion falls many little ministers laugh up their sleeves and think themselves somehow advantaged. Ah, beloved brethren, no one makes anything out of moral shipwreck.

Not a willow by the rivers of Damascus, not a sycamore on the plains of Jericho, not an olive tree in all Palestine is helped by the fall of a Lebanon cedar. Better weep and pray and tremble and listen to Paul's advice to the Galatians when he says, "Considering thyself lest thou also be tempted." No man is safe until he is dead unless he be divinely protected. A greater thinker than Lord Francis Bacon the world never saw, and he changed the world's mode of thinking for all time, his "Novum Organum," a miracle of literature. With $38,000 salary and estates worth millions and from the highest judicial bench of the world he goes down under the power of bribery, and confessed his crime and was sentenced to the Tower and the scorn of centuries. Howl fir tree, for the cedar is fallen!

Warren Hastings, rising until he became Governor General of India and the envy of the chief public men of his day, plunges into cruelties against the barbaric people he had been sent to rule, until his name is chiefly associated with the criminal trial in Westminster Hall, where came upon him the anathemas of Sheridan, Fox, Edmund Burke, the English nation, and all time. Howl, fir tree, for the cedar is fallen! As eminent instances of moral disaster are found in our own land and our own time, instances that I do not recite lest I wound the feelings of those now alive to mourn the shipwreck, let your indignation against the fallen turn to pity.

A judge in one of our American courts gives this experience: In a respectable but poor family, a daughter was getting a musical education. She needed one more course of lessons to complete that education. The father's means were exhausted, and so great was his anxiety to help his daughter that he feloniously took some money from his employer, and going home to his daughter, said, "There is money to complete your musical education." The wife and mother suspected something wrong, and obtained from her husband the whole story, and that night went around with her husband to the merchant's house and surrendered the whole amount of the money and asked forgiveness. Forgiveness was denied and the man was arrested.

The judge, knowing all the circumstance, and that the money had all been returned, suggested to the merchant he had better let the matter drop for the sake of the wife and daughter. No! He would not let it drop, and he did all he could to make the case conspicuous and blasting. The judge says that afterward the same inexorable merchant was before him for breaking the law of the land. It is a poor rule that will not work both ways. Let him that standeth take heed lest he fall. Not congratulation but tears when a cedar is fallen.

Yet there is one cedar of Lebanon that always has and always will overtop all others. It is the Christ whom Ezekiel describes as a goodly cedar, and says, "Under it shall come all fowl of every wing." Make your nest in that great cedar. Then let the storms beat and the earth rock, and time end, and eternity begin, all shall be well.

In my journey up and down Palestine and Syria nothing more impressed me than the trees—the terebinths, the sycamores, the tamarisks, the oleanders, the mulberrys, the olives, the myrtles, the palms, the cedars—all of them explanatory of so much of the Scriptures. And the time is coming when, through an improved arboriculture, the round world shall be circumferenced, engirdled embosomed, emparadised in shade trees and fruit trees and flower trees. Isaiah declares in one place, "The glory of Lebanon shall be given unto it," and in another place, "All the trees of the field shall clap their hands. Instead of the thorn shall come up the fir tree; instead briar shall come up the myrtle tree." Oh, grandest arborescence of all time! Begin! Begin!

Oh, I am so glad that the Holy land of Heaven, like the Holy land of Palestine and Syria, is a great place for trees—an orchard of them, a grove of them, a forest of them! St. John saw them along the streets and on both sides of the river, and every month they yielded a great crop of fruit. You know what an imposing appearance trees give to a city on earth, but how it exalts my idea of Heaven, when St. John describes the city on high as having its streets and its rivers lined with them. Oh, the trees! the trees! The jasper walls, the fountains, the temples were not enough. There would have been something wanting yet. So to complete all that pomp and splendor I behold the upbranching trees of life.

Not like those stripped trees now around us, which like banished minstrels through the long winter night utter their dolorous lament, or in the blast moan like lost spirits wandering up and down the gale, but leaf shall never wither. Whether you walk on the banks of the river you will be under trees, or by the homes of martyrs under trees, or by the heavenly temple under trees, or along the palace of the King immortal under trees. "Blessed are they that do His commandments that they may have right to the tree of life." Stonewall Jackson's dying utterance was beautifully suggestive, "Let us cross over and lie down under the trees."

What They Drink in London.

The drinking in London is mainly of beer or plain liquor, writes Julian Ralph, Scotch whisky or brandy for the well-to-do, and gin for the poor. But the beer is what we call ale, and is served very warm. One or two places on the Strand keep lager beer for Americans and Germans, but they vend it at the temperature of soup. Nowhere is ice used as we use it. Unless you asked for it, you would not see as much ice in two years in London as you see in New York in a day. It is a work of supererogation for me to say that the bartenders are nearly all women; 999 in 1,000 are women. They are supposed to be selected on account of their good looks, and they receive $100 a year, and their board and lodging. The very comeliest and most popular ones are paid $125, and very often it happens that Americans would call some of these queens of the pothouse passably (sometimes really) good-looking. They are all, even to an American judgment, rugged and healthy-looking, with plenty of weight and color. They would seem to us to deserve pity, but their places are in great demand, and are considered very advantageous by the poor. As to their characters, one woman who had been a bar-maid said that it was "a hard life for a good girl, and an easy one for the other sort," while a bar-maid in Birmingham, who seemed a very prude, said "all the rudeness of the men passed by a bar-maid as water passes by a swimming duck"—from which contradictory statements others may gather what they will, but I am led to suspect that bar-maids are like the rest of humanity—good, bad, and indifferent.

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Kansas City ex, daily exc't Sunday	1 40 p. m.
Vestibule Limited and Mail	6 17 p. m.
Lafayette accom	3 30 p. m.

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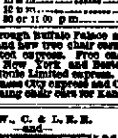

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For Grand Rapids	" 2 [illegible] p m
From Richmond	Ar 6 [illegible] p m

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For Richmond and Cincinnati	Lv [illegible] a m
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Fort Wayne Sentinel.

SATURDAY, DEC. 20, 1890.

LOCAL NEWS.

Stephen D. Bond is about after a two weeks' illness.

The Concordia college has closed for a two weeks' vacation.

The Catholic knights will hold an annual election of officers to-morrow.

George Humphrey post, G. A. R., will have a regular meeting this evening.

Miss Cohen, of Webster street, will visit friends in Toledo during the holidays.

County Clerk D. W. Sonder has returned from a brief business trip to the country.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. August Bandeller, of the corner of Gay and Wallace streets—son.

Dr. J. W. Youngs will leave Sunday evening for northern Michigan, to be absent a week.

Will D. Gordon, in the shipping department of Coombs & Co., is off duty on account of sickness.

Joseph Amon, of Root & Co.'s store, is ill with lung fever at his home on East Washington street.

Mr. Senne, a student of the Concordia college, has gone to Brooklyn, N. Y., his home, to spend the holidays.

Charles A. Williams, late cashier of the Findlay, Ohio, National bank, is the guest of friends in the city.

Summit City division No. 12, Knights of Pythias, held a drill last evening, under command of Captain E. L. Siver.

Miss Lizzie Collins, teacher in the City school, will be the guest of her parents at Butler, Ind., during the holidays.

Dr. A. E. VanBuskirk is in receipt of a telegram announcing the death of Mrs. VanBuskirk's mother at Holmes county, Ohio.

Mrs. S. M. White, of Plymouth, Ind., arrived in the city yesterday to spend the holidays with her sister, Mrs. F. S. Smead, of South Wayne.

Richard Welch, traveling salesman for S. A. Maxwell & Co., Chicago, will spend the holidays with his mother and sister on East Superior street.

George W. Jones, of Olds' factory, was fined $10 and costs, amounting to $35 yesterday for wife desertion. The case was heard by Justice France.

Miss Bessie Gillette, of Holgate, Ohio, who is attending the public schools of this city, will spend the holidays at her home with her parents.

Miss Clara Currier, of 332 East Wayne street has returned from a two months' visit to Marion, Ind., where she was the guest of her sister Mrs. Dr. Eckart.

A force of workmen employed on a new M. E. parsonage at Decatur, by C. E. Bruns, of this city, have returned home, having completed the plumbing contract.

The Monroeville Breeze says: "Miss Lulu and Goldie, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Freidline, of Fort Wayne, are visiting their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Freidline near East Liberty."

Jack Dickson, for a number of years employed at Brookside farm as assistant to Superintendent McKay, has resigned his position and will remove to Sterling, Ill., where he will take charge of the Clark stock farm.

The choir of Emanuel's Lutheran church, conducted by Prof. D. Linderman, will have their rehearsal next Monday evening. The regular meeting occurs on Thursday, but it is changed on account of Christmas.

Mr. Nelson Hellsworth, of New Haven, who was supposed to have been lost in the Wasatch mountains of Utah, has been found and is now located in the Bingham mines, twenty-five miles southeast of Salt Lake City. His father says he is doing well and prospering.

The Indianapolis Sun says: "Editor N. R. Leonard, of the Fort Wayne Gazette, comes right out and says Gresham is the only man who can carry Indiana. The Gazette says another thing in the same sentence: 'If the Harrison newspaper syndicate wants to buy the Gazette, it must be getting a move on itself.'"

Miss Kate Abel, teacher in the Allen county schools of Washington township, is at her home on South Calhoun street for the holidays. The teachers of the county schools outside of the city will be given the same vacation. The city schools will not close until Wednesday afternoon and they will open again the first Monday after New Years.

The Portland Sun says: "Mr. James Geary, the popular museum man, of Fort Wayne, is making arrangements to give the people a first-class entertainment here about once a week during the winter, commencing sometime in January. His agent, Mr. A. Gump, was here Monday and secured Kikendall's hall for this purpose. Mr. Geary will give the people of Portland something that will be sure to please."

Lieutenant Hall, of the United States army, who was recently stationed here to take charge of the recruiting station for the enlisting of recruits from this district, will move his headquarters from the Pixley-Long block to the Bass block over the C. O. D. clothing store. The rooms to be vacated by him lie on the second floor to the front. They will be occupied at once by Hon. A. A. Chapin, late superior court judge, who will have his office there for the practice of law.

Julius Manth, the sewing machine agent, is quite ill.

C. D. Moyer, of Kendallville, Ind., was in the city this morning.

Miss Stewart, of West Jefferson street, entertained a party of friends last evening.

The Balmoral choir, consisting of nine people, left for Dayton, O., this morning.

Mrs. E. H. Montgomery, of Bluffton, is visiting her daughter, Miss Mamie Montgomery.

Miss Abdon has taken a temporary position as stenographer in the law office of Bell and Morris.

J. R. Foster has resigned his position as stenographer for Bell & Morris, and is now in Chicago.

W. L. Scott and daughter, of Van Wert, enjoyed the Balmoral concert at the Temple last evening.

John Waldron, of Port Huron, Mich., has taken a position in the lunch room of John Cline, at 99 Calhoun street.

Lew Meisbiomer, who left this city for Ashville, N. C., is now at Marion, in that state. He had an enjoyable trip.

John Muldoon, the painter, returned from Chicago to-day. He has been there several days on a business mission.

Harry Wise has returned from the state university at Bloomington, to be at home during the holidays. He is a student at the college.

Willard and Cheney, sons of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Knight, have returned from Purdue university to spend the holidays at their home on Spy Run avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Morganthaler will celebrate their twentieth wedding anniversary on New Year's eve at their West Wayne street home. It is their china wedding.

Miss Maggie Hamilton will establish a studio for the cultivation of art, on the Hamilton homestead property on East Lewis street. The building is now being placed in readiness.

Mr. and Mrs. John Forbing, who have been absent from the city on an eastern trip of several weeks' duration, will return on the 26th inst. They are visiting their daughter at Ada, Ohio.

Mrs. Hall, of Lansing, Mich., is a guest of the family of Professor Chester Lane, at their cheerful new home on Maple avenue, and she may decide to make this her future home. Mrs. Hall was formerly a teacher in the public schools of this city.

William Fry, the popular young driver of Eckart's wholesale wagon, has returned from Richmond, Ind., where he was visiting his uncle, Samuel C. Davis, a confectioner in business at that place. Mr. Davis was formerly a confectioner for H. H. Barous in this city.

For Christmas and New Years.

Citron Reduced 5c. Pound.
Best Leghorn Citron, 20c lb.
Orange and Lemon Peel, 18c lb.
New Shelled Almonds, 25c lb.
Valencia Raisins, 9c lb.
Seedless Raisins, 20c lb.
Zantee Currants, 8c lb.
New Mixed Nuts 15c quart.
Florida Oranges, 25 and 40c dozen.
California Malaga Grapes, 20c lb.

FRUIT HOUSE.

The Misses Josephine and Tracy Brossard entertained friends last Thursday evening in a very pleasant manner. The evening was spent in music, cards and social conversation.

See Ward's advertisement.

Our $1.25 gents' plush slippers are warranted to bring any decent young man to a proposal before New Year's or money refunded.

MASSACHUSETTS SHOE CO.

Foster's For Christmas Presents.

Vase Lamps, worth $4, for $1.90. Bisque Finished Vase Lamps, worth $5, for $2.25. Piano Lamps, with umbrella Shades, for $9, $10, $11, $13 and $15. Hanging Lamps and Banquet Lamps at great bargains.

Metal Plaques, Framed Bronzes, Metal Vases, Onyx Top Tables, Foot Rests, Blacking Cases, Easels, Music Cabinets, Brass Stands, Shaving Cabinets, and many other fancy articles at prices lower than ever before.

Carpet Sweepers, Smyrna Rugs, Fur Carriage Robes, &c., in our Carpet Department.

One thousand fancy Chairs for Christmas presents. Select your goods at once and have them laid by until Christmas.

Diamonds and Jewelry of all kinds at Trinkly & Scherzinger's.

The Taylor Bros. Piano company offer a limited number of first-class upright pianos at a large reduction from regular prices.

Wives, buy your husband a pair of these nobby chenille or plush slippers for one dollar and he won't say a word about tough beefsteak for six months.

MASSACHUSETTS SHOE CO.

Mistletoe for Missing Purposes.

No English lady considers her home decorations for Christmas complete, until a little sprig of Mistletoe, no matter how small, is hung over one of the doors on the inside of the house. Upon this day, "if a gentleman discovers a lady standing under the Mistletoe, he has a right to kiss her." Mistletoe can be found at Geo. W. Dorwell's flower stand, No. 35 Calhoun street.

A Dollar Book for 35c.

The Household Cook Book and Encyclopedia of Practical Receipts. Economical, reliable and excellent. Bound in oil cloth, 35c. Cloth bound books, 20c, some that dry goods stores ask 25c for. Dore Bible Gallery. Dante's Inferno, etc., at Katt's, cheapest Book Store in the city.

ALL LAMPS WORTH BUYING

For a Christmas Gift, at Ward's China Store, will be sold less 20 per cent. until after Christmas. First-class stand lamp, $1.75; Hanging lamp the cheapest and best, at Ward's, No. 8, West Columbia street. 20-2t

I. O. O. F. Notice.

All members of Harmony Lodge No. 19, I. O. O. F., are requested to meet at Harmony lodge hall Sunday, December 21st, at 12 o'clock m. sharp, to attend the funeral of our late brother, S. D. Miller. GEO. W. DORWELL, N. G.
J. H. PAYNE, Recording Secretary.

Grand Opening Reception.

Mr. Harry Harrison announces that he will entertain his friends and callers at his Rich hotel house of call Saturday evening next. There will be luncheon and other features of a welcome nature.

Mr. Harrison is handsomely established and can show one of the neatest public houses in the state. 18 3t

A box of Gruber's cigars makes a nice present. 18-20 22

Get a box of Gruber's cigars for a Christmas present. 18-20 22

Largest and Finest display of Gents' toilet slippers ever shown in Northern Indiana.

138 pairs Gents' fancy slippers, 35 cts.

181 pairs Gents' embroidered slippers, 50 cts.

98 pairs Gents' imitation alligator slippers, 60 cts.

167 pairs Gents' velvet embroidered slippers, 67 cts.

222 pairs Gents's velvet embroidered slippers, 75 cts.

307 pairs Gents' plush embroidered slippers, $1.00.

187 pairs Gents' chenille embroidered slippers, $1.25.

More than 80 different patterns.

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Notice.

Annual meeting of the Fort Wayne-Decatur gravel road company will be called January 2, '91, 2 p. m., at Wayne hotel. Important business and election of officers.

19-3t GOTT HALLER, Sec'y.

Grand Opening

Saturday evening, Dec. 20, at Neiman's place, corner Third and Wells streets. Good music and plenty of free lunch on hand. Everybody invited. 18-19 20.

At M. App's you can find the most reliable and cheapest footwear in the city. 106 Calhoun street. wed-fri-sat tf.

Smoke the Clara Morris cigar. For sale at Wagner's drug store. 18 1m

Take the Nickel Plate if you want to go to Chicago during holiday week. Fare for round trip only $4.45, good to return including Jan. 3, 1891. 19-tf

CAUTION.

Ladies intending to buy gents' slippers at the Massachusetts Shoe company should take with them only the exact change they intend to spend, for they will find goods so cheap and beautiful they are sure to go home with empty pocket books.

Undoubtedly C. L. Hill has the highest grade of pianos in the city, he is receiving pianos daily. You would do well to see him and look through his large stock of very high grade of instruments at a very low price on easy terms. 19 2t

LOOK AT THESE FIGURES!

And don't get mad because you have already bought.

TO MEASURE.

Men's Calf Congress, Cork Sole,	$4.00
Men's Calf Lace, Cork Sole,	$4.00
Men's satin calf Cong., cork sole,	$3.50
Men's satin calf Lace, cork sole,	$3.50

Our Mail Carrier's Shoe, stamped Mail on button. Our Policeman Shoe, Stamped Police on bottom are simply perfect. We make them in any style wanted—Cong. Bal. Button or Alexis. To be seen and measure taken at A. Foellinger's, 15 West Main street, formerly Root & Co. cloak department. We warrant everything we make.

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Special sales for Christmas at Ward's China Store, No. 8 West Columbia.
Royal Dresden,
Royal Doulton,
Royal Worcester,
Also Capeland, Vienna,
Carlsbad in ornament
And Tea and Dinner sets.
1847 Roger Bros. Silverware,
Knives, Forks and Spoons.
Chas. F. Haveland China
Tea and Dinner sets.
American and English
Tea, Dinner and Chamber sets.
Water set, Smoking set,
Motto Cups and Saucers,
Piano Hanging Lamps,
Hundreds of articles for Christmas gifts at Wards.
Sign—Big Iron Dog.

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Before sitting for your picture, call where you have no risk to run.

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Five thousand Books, cloth bound, by leading authors, all 25c per volume; 3,000 Juvenile Books, at 5, 10, 15, 19, 25 and 39c.

An immense variety of all kinds of Linen and China Silk, Initial Handkerchiefs at all the most popular prices.

Big display of Fancy China Silks, Ornaments, Fringes and Tassels for all kinds of Fancy Work.

Ladies' and Gents' Gloves lined and not lined, Gents' Silk Mufflers, etc.

The large number of Wraps and Cloaks we have sold this season is evidence that our prices are popular and the lowest in the city.

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The list we present is not at all representative but is offered as suggestive.

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In this Department you will find a most Elegant Display of Fine Goods consisting of

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This is a line of goods that has never before been shown in this city, and we extend to you an invitation to

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OPEN EVENINGS. Goods selected now can be stored with us until wanted.

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